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## Championship of Beaufort Bowling Club Won by D. F. Troy.

### BOWLS.

#### CHAMPIONSHIP WON BY D. F. TROY.

The Beaufort Bowling Club finished the championship competition for the president's (Mr J. R. Wotherspoon's) guinea trophy on Saturday afternoon, when D. F. Troy and H. E. Cuthbertson met in the final. Notwithstanding that it was the third match for the afternoon for Troy, and that the game at one stage was 11 to nil against him, he eventually won by 21 to 19. Cuthbertson has been runner-up three times.

A singles competition for the vice-president's (Mr R. G. Beggs' trophy—a silver mug—has been creating some interest on the Beaufort bowling green during the week. The four players left in for the semi-finals were R. Mackay v. G. Ellis, and T. M. Bowe v. H. O. Collier. The champion of the club (D. F. Troy) was beaten by Mackay, 15-4.

### FIFTY-NINE YEARS AGO.

#### GLEANINGS FROM "ADVOCATE" FILES.

APRIL 3rd, 1875.

The Beaufort Fire Brigade received its first call to a fire, which turned out to be a blaze in a foul chimney.

Rev. J. Long and Messrs. Prentice and Dow conducted anniversary services in connection with the Methodist Sunday School. The proceeds totalled £13.

It was decided to wind up the Richmond Quartz Co., Waterloo.

The Wellington G.M. Co., Waterloo, obtained a yield of 38 oz.

Mr Paul Reid, the Beaufort stationmaster, was transferred to Ararat. His successor, Mr Fitzpatrick, afterwards became chairman of railway commissioners.

The monthly meeting of the Ripon Shire Council was attended by Crs. Wotherspoon, Lewis, Forrest, Kirkpatrick, Cushing, and Tompkins.

Mr J. W. Harris, senr., was appointed acting shire secretary, during the absence on leave for seven months of Mr D. G. Stewart.

From 1300 to 1500 people attended the Beaufort Athletic Club's Easter Monday sports. A youths' race was won by G. Loft (who still resides in the town).

A box containing 2600 oz of gold was recovered from the wreck of the "Gothenburg" off the South Australian coast.



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### THIRTY YEARS AGO.

#### ITEMS FROM OUR FILES.

OCTOBER 15, 1904.

Mounted-constable J. Stephen was the recipient of a presentation from the Snake Valley residents, on his removal to Miners' Rest.

The Beaufort Jockey Club discussed the advisability of changing the site of the racecourse.

Mr Wm. Topp died at Lake Goldsmith road, Beaufort, at the age of 52 years.

The death occurred at Terang of Mrs A. Loftus, wife of Mr F. Loftus, and daughter of Mr and Mrs John Jackson, of Beaufort. She was a talented musician.

The Beaufort Presbyterians decided to extend a call to the Rev. R. J. H. McGowan, of Birchip, at a stipend of £275 a year.

The Beaufort Athletic Club adopted an £80 programme for the annual sports.

At a meeting at Beaufort, it was decided to protest against royalties on firewood.

The Victorian State Government had a surplus of £993,257, according to the Premier (Mr Bent).

Gold yields for the week in Beaufort and district totalled 93 oz.

The Barton Quartz Co. obtained 14 oz. 27 dwt. from 27 tons of stone.

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#### SALE OF BOOTHS.

On Saturday morning at his office, Mr T. W. Schlicht sold the rights to the booths at the Waterloo Easter Saturday sports, and at the Beaufort Town Band's Easter Monday gymkhana. The Waterloo publican's booth was purchased by Mr R. Taylor, of Ballarat, for £5/10/, and Mr Irwin, of Ballarat, paid £3 15/ for the fruit, luncheon, and sweets booth. Mr Taylor bought the publican's booth at the band gymkhana at Beaufort for £2/10/.

#### Football.

The annual meeting of the Waubra Football Club was held on Wednesday evening, 27th ult., and was well attended. The following are the office-bearers:—President, Mr Quarrel; joint secretaries, W. Miller and V. O'Reilly. It was decided to affiliate with the Burrumbeet Association.

#### BEAUFORT BUSH NURSING HOSPITAL.

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### MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

Dr. S. E. Humphreys (president) was in the chair at the monthly meeting of the Beaufort Mechanics' Institute committee, held on Monday night, and attended by eight members. The tender of Mr F. Webster to renovate the billiard-room, with an additional price to paint extra woodwork, was adopted; the total being £9/3/. The secretary reported a profit of £2/7/ on the last bridge evening. It was resolved that each member of the committee urge players to come along earlier to the bridge evenings, and to use the reading-room for the overflow, in the event of an unusually large attendance at bridge evenings. It was resolved to have a No. 1 table at bridge evenings, instead of a king table; the winners to move at all tables. It was decided to have one secret number prize each night, to be provided by the members of the committee, if necessary. Ash trays are to be provided for the few who smoke at bridge evenings, but it was understood that smoking would not be encouraged, as the room was too small. It was agreed that there be no averaging for the aggregate prize. A letter was read from the local postmaster (Mr R. Mackay) in regard to installation of the telephone at the Mechanics' Institute. The secretary (Mr H. V. Martin) said the club room had never been so quiet in his experience. Mr Hodgetts said this was the recognised meeting-place of the town, and a telephone would be a great convenience, although not a paying proposition to the Mechanics. He thought it would cost the Institute £1 or 30/ a year. After further discussion, it was decided to give the telephone installation a trial for a year, on the motion of Messrs. Hodgetts and G. Beggs. The president said it had been decided at last meeting that illustrated papers taken out of the library be entered on the subscriber's card, and that the three latest issues of those papers be left on the table. The secretary reported that, roughly, there would be a profit of about £25 on the flower show. Mr Crouch said that the misapprehension that there was no profit on the flower show should be corrected. The president said that suggestions for next year's flower show should be noted for the guidance of the secretary. Mr Jenkin mentioned that the books from the "Times" Book Club, London, had begun to come to hand. A letter was read from Mr McMeekin, forwarding account for 5/ subscription to the Libraries' Association. The secretary reported that £3/4/9 worth of new books had come to hand. Mr Ashley said that out of 25 books ordered, only 11 were sent.

The secretary said that £2/8/6 worth of secondhand books had been received from the Austral Library. Accounts amounting to £26/7/9 were passed for payment. The secretary was instructed to make arrangements for a regular supply of kindling wood for the Institute. Mr Joyce submitted a sample of a framed lithographic poster, by means of a series of which it was proposed to improve the appearance of the club room. The matter of improving and brightening up the club room was discussed. A suggestion that mantelselves be provided for the back room, was left in the hands of Mr Joyce. Mr Ashley said that Mr R. H. Scott was mentioned in the Press as winner of the aggregate at the flower show, and that either Mr Williams or Mrs Lardner was the winner. He understood that the Press had been misinformed. Mr Crouch moved that if a mistake had been made, a correction be published, and Mr Scott informed of the error. Seconded by Mr Ashley, and carried. Mr Williams is to be awarded the prize for three gladioli. The president said that Mr Hodgetts, on behalf of the committee, had sent for the "Sun" encyclopaedia. The president said a lot of old books in the library required to be culled. It was arranged that the book committee and other helpers do the work. It was understood that the next bridge evening would be in charge of Messrs. Crouch and Beggs.

#### Poppet Legs for Ararat.

The first of the four poppet legs to be erected at the Langi Logan Deep Leads mine, Langi Logan, passed through Ararat to the mine last week (writes the "Advertiser"), and attracted a good deal of attention. The stick is 100 ft. in length, and is a beautiful piece of timber. It was expected that the second stick would be taken to the mine next day. The contractor for supplying the poppet heads is Mr A. E. Crick, of Beaufort, and the timber is being obtained from the Mt. Cole district.

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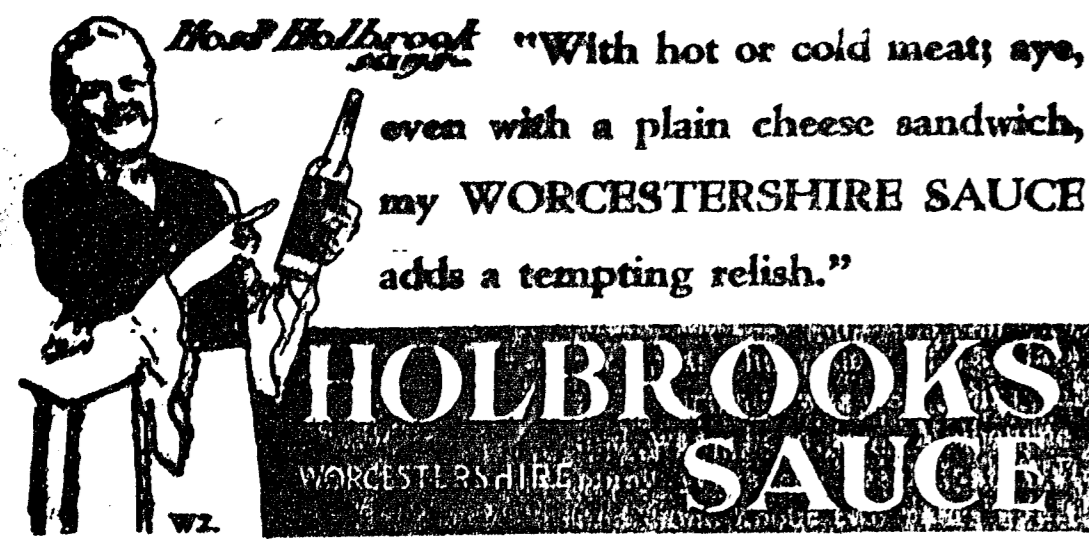
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**DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.**

**RAGLAN.**

**TENNIS TOURNAMENT.**

The Raglan Tennis Club held its wind-up tournament over last weekend. A good entry was received, and some interesting matches were witnessed. The tournament was won by J. Rush and Miss Audrey Wilkinson, who defeated I. Grant and Mrs. L. French in the final. Scores:—First Round.—E. E. Tiley and Miss Alice Wilkinson (owe 15.4) d. J. Hutton and Miss E. Trengove (owe 15.2), 6-2; K. W. Lewis and Mrs. E. E. Tiley (owe 15) d. P. Gillingham and Miss J. Day (owe 3), 6-3; E. Drew and Miss Elsie Morvell (owe 15.1) d. A. W. Pederick and Mrs. A. Johnston (scr.), 6-3; K. Hyde and Mrs. E. Drew (owe 15.1) d. G. Grant and Mrs. Pederick (owe 15.1), 6-4; I. Grant and Mrs. L. French (owe 30) d. A. W. Pederick and Miss Evelyn Morvell (scr.), 6-5. Second Round.—J. Rush and Miss Audrey Wilkinson (owe 15.4) d. E. Trengove and Miss W. Smith (scr.), 6-2; D. Laney and Mrs. I. Grant (owe 5) d. K. W. Lewis and Mrs. E. E. Tiley, 6-4; E. Drew and Miss Elsie Morvell d. E. E. Tiley and Miss Alice Wilkinson, 6-5; I. Grant and Mrs. L. French d. K. Hyde and Mrs. E. Drew, 6-2. Semi-finals.—J. Rush and Miss Audrey Wilkinson d. D. Laney and Mrs. I. Grant, 6-5; I. Grant and Mrs. French d. E. Drew and Miss Elsie Morvell, 6-5. Final.—J. Rush and Miss A. Wilkinson d. I. Grant and Mrs. French, 6-2. In handing the trophies to the winners, the president (Mr. K. W. Lewis) congratulated the winners and the runners-up on the fine displays they had given throughout the tournament. The final had been contested by two local and two visiting players—the ideal match. Mr. Rush thanked the club on behalf of his partner and himself, and referred to the fact that as Raglan and Beaufort were rivals in another sphere of sport, he was pleased at the opportunity of playing with and against members of the Raglan Football Club. Such friendly meetings must do good in both sports.

**KITCHEN TEA.**

One of the most enjoyable evenings held in the Raglan Hall for some time was the kitchen tea tendered to Miss E. Wilkinson last Saturday evening, on the eve of her marriage to Mr. L. Tucker. The hall was filled with a goodly crowd of friends of the young couple, and the display of presents was a very nice one indeed. An energetic committee of friends of the bridegroom kept things moving with a swing. The hall had been nicely decorated, with "Good Luck to You Both" prominently displayed on the stage curtain. Euchre was played by a number of players, the winner being Mr. H. Tiley and Mrs. A. Wilkinson. Dance music was supplied by Mrs. A. A. Wilkinson and Mr. H. D. Panther (piano), M. G. Gillingham (violin), and Mr. V. Welsh (accordion). Mr. F. A. Gillingham acted as M.C. During the presentation of the gifts, Mr. K. W. Lewis was chairman. A short musical and elocutionary programme was first rendered. Upon being called on to speak, Mr. G. H. Cuthbertson said that the attendance at the function showed the esteem in which Miss Wilkinson and Mr. Tucker were held in Raglan. Miss Wilkinson had always been ready to carry out her part in public duties, and Mr. Tucker, as a member of the committee of the Athletic Club for several years, had always done his best for the sports. He wished them both health, wealth, and prosperity. The chairman endorsed Mr. Cuthbertson's remarks about the fine attendance. The comparison with the attendance at a usual Saturday night entertainment showed that people were there for a special cause. Perhaps all Saturday night shows should be made kitchen teas (Laughter.) The measure of personal esteem in which the young couple were held was shown by the complimentary remarks, and exemplified by the fine array of presents; but as people could not live entirely to themselves, there was a measure of public

duty to be performed by each and all, for the welfare of the community as a whole. In this respect, both Miss Wilkinson and Mr. Tucker had not been backward, but had carried out such duties as fell to their lot cheerfully and well. He asked them to accept the presents with the best wishes of the people of Raglan, and hoped they would long enjoy them. Mr. Tucker responded on behalf of Miss Wilkinson and himself. He thanked the people present most sincerely for the fine presents. Both Miss Wilkinson and himself had done what they could in public duties for the pleasure it gave them in the doing. They would not be leaving Raglan, and would have ample opportunity of living up to the complimentary remarks of the speakers in the future. The gathering then sang "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows" with great gusto. A tasty supper provided by the ladies, was handed round before midnight.

**SWIMMING CERTIFICATES.**

At an examination held by the head teacher and a member of the school committee (Mr. A. Mitchell), five scholars of the Raglan school—Arthur Spicer, Robert Johnston, Arthur Mitchell, Norman Waldron, and Nancy Crocker—passed for the junior swimming certificate; the first such certificates to be won by Raglan children. The pool on the creek, though of hardly sufficient depth, was very popular during the hot weather, and about a dozen children learned to swim. The permission of the council to bank back the creek to a height of two feet, made possible a pool in which children could learn to swim and dive, but nothing more advanced than the junior certificate could be done under present conditions. Quite a number of the adult population became interested in swimming during the hot weather, and several of these made the first few strokes, under the tuition of the few swimmers present. Swimming promises to be generally popular in future seasons.

**RAINFALL.**

The rainfall for March totalled 133 points, compared with 55 points for March last year, and 361 points for March, 1933. A heavy fall of rain would do good now.

**WATERLOO.**

**MOUTH ORGAN BAND.**

After a very creditable performance by the Waterloo mouth organists at the Waterloo cricketers' smoke night last Saturday, it has been decided to form a mouth-organ band, and assisted by Messrs. E. Wilson (piano) and A. Boyd (banjo), they will make their debut under the baton of Mr. W. Kay at the banquet dance on Saturday night, April 6th. Their next engagement will be at the Hospital entertainment on May 11.

**GRASSHOPPERS PLENTIFUL.**

On Sunday at Lake Goldsmith, in the vicinity of Messrs. A. Fraser and Son's property and Mr. D. Stewart's lake paddock, grasshoppers were flying about in dense swarms. It is doubtful whether they have been more plentiful in any part of the district since their first appearance three months ago.

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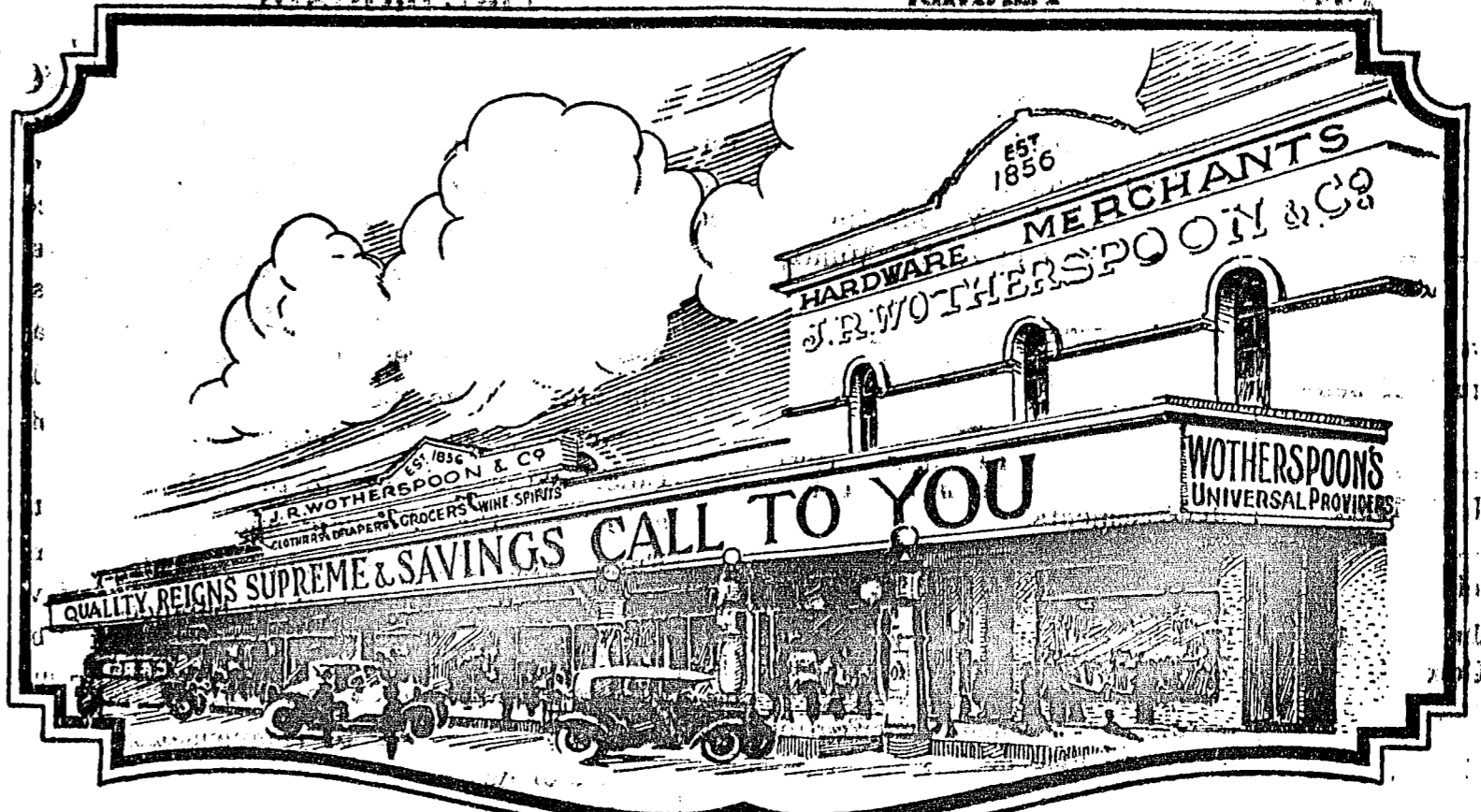
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**DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.**

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**A Night With the Cricketers.**

With 21 cricketers and supporters filled with enthusiasm, the Waterloo Hall presented a gay appearance last Saturday night, when the Cricket Club held a smoke-night to celebrate the winning of the cricket premiership. Vocal and instrumental items were much in evidence, but the noise of these and the roars that went up as a right bower crashed the left, or when a "sixer" was registered, was interrupted every now and then by a painful of sizzling sausages, which lent a savoury suggestion in no unheeded manner, that supper would soon be on. The writer cannot remember any function at which so many toasts were honored and received with such tumultuous cheering. The musical items were of a very high standard indeed, whilst "Spagetti" performed some amazing sleight-of-hand tricks, which left the onlookers dumbfounded. Much credit is due to the manner in which Messrs. W. Kay, N. Dromey, J. Rush, A. Saph, and Dick Dooley performed their duties as waiters. The serving of the sausages and mashed potatoes would do justice to any waitresses in a first-class city cafe. The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" terminated a happy evening, and everyone left for home with the feeling that if they can produce such brilliant speeches next Saturday night (April 6th), the banquet will at least be an oratorical success.

**TRAWALLA.**

Mr. E. Vowles suffered a financial loss by the death of a valuable cow last week.

Mr. Hall, relieving A.S.M. at Trawalla, has been transferred to Lal Lal, and he will be greatly missed by the shooting, racing, and tennis enthusiasts of the district, with whom he has made himself very popular during his six weeks' stay here.

Mr. P. K. Smith, head teacher of the Trawalla school, has purchased a

**WATERLOO.**

goat, to the delight of the school children, who have found the animal very amusing.

A tennis tournament was played last Saturday by members of the Trawalla Club; about 24 taking part. The final was between Mrs. Scott and Mr. Campbell, and Mrs. Campbell and Mr. Hall; resulting in a win for Mrs. Scott and Mr. Campbell. Afternoon tea was served under the pines.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Hehir have returned from their annual holiday leave, which was spent at Warrnambool, Melbourne, and Ballan.

Mr. Pateman, A.S.M. at Trawalla, has returned from his holidays.

Mrs. Walter Packham is holidaying with her married daughter in Melbourne.

Little Frankie Leister has been discharged from Hospital, where he underwent an operation for an injury to his arm, caused by a fall while playing at school. The little fellow is making satisfactory progress.

Mr. Leister, senr., of Ballarat, is on holidays at Trawalla.

Mrs. Bickers, of Moolamoin, New South Wales, is staying with her brother and sister, Mr. Tom Rodgers, and Miss Kitty Rodgers, of Trawalla.

Mr. Donald McCallum, manager of Mt4 Emu Estate, called on a number of friends, when passing through Trawalla this week.

**BREWSTER.**

**The Tennis Club.**

The first official day's play was held at the Brewster court on Saturday. Those present had some enjoyable games. Club members hope that, by persistent effort, they will be able to asphalt the court before next season. The children find it a constant source of pleasure.

**Visit of School Inspector.**

The district inspector visited the school on Wednesday morning, and expressed considerable pleasure at the improvements carried out by the committee.

**PERSONAL.**

Mrs. J. L. Carstairs, of Blythvale, Streatham, and her daughter, Janet, returned from England on the "Nieuw Holland," which reached Melbourne on April 5th. They have been abroad for nearly a year, and have spent most of the time in England and Scotland, although the summer months were spent in touring by car across Europe. Mrs. Carstairs' niece, Miss Phemie Child, is returning to Australia with her, and she will stay with relatives in the Western district.

Major-General Sir Brudenell White has accepted a seat on the board of directors of the Trustees Executors and Agency Company Limited. The vacancy was caused by the death of Sir John Grice.

The State president (Mrs. R. G. Begg) attended the third annual group conference of the south-western area at Coleraine.

Miss Ena Roderick, of Melbourne, has been spending a holiday at Beaufort, with her parents, Mr and Mrs J. B. Roderick. Mrs. Roderick has also had her niece, Mrs. Kelly, as a guest.

Mr and Mrs G. Wilson and family, and Mrs E. Wilson, of Beaufort, have been holidaying at Queenscliff.

Mrs W. J. Gray, of Beaufort, and her little daughter, accompanied Mr Gray to the A.N.A. conference at Queenscliff.

In last week's issue of the "Weekly Times" appeared a picture of Messrs. W. Gray and E. Wilson, of Beaufort, who were the local delegates to the A.N.A. conference at Queenscliff. In the same paper was a picture of a number of Beaufort men of the 8th Btn, taken in a tent entrance at the 6th Infantry Brigade camp at Seymour.

Miss Jean D'Helin visited the Misses Stewart and their parents at Monnot over the week-end.

Mr and Mrs W. R. Glover, of Beaufort, had their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs W. Reddie,

of Echuca, as guests for the week-end.

Mr E. McLeod has been on a visit to his mother, Mrs. R. Finney, of Beaufort.

Miss Rheita Crocker, of Geelong, Melbourne on April 5th. They have been spending a holiday at Raglan with her parents.

Mrs S. Jacobs, of Beaufort, has had her brother from Tasmania staying with her as a guest.

Mr Jack Dowling spent the week-end with his parents, Mr and Mrs C. T. Dowling, of Beaufort.

Mr and Mrs A. A. Wilkinson, of St. Marnocks staff, are on holiday leave at Raglan, and are staying with Mrs. Wilkinson's parents, Mr and Mrs H. Tucker, of Raglan. Mr and Mrs Tucker are leaving the district, shortly to reside at Ballarat.

Miss Duke, of Ballarat, is holidaying at Beaufort with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs J. Duke.

Mr W. Martin, of Netring, who has been in indifferent health of late, went to Melbourne for an X-rays examination. Miss Shiela Martin also went to town for special treatment for spinal trouble.

Mr L. J. D. Stevenson has been home to Beaufort on holidays.

Mr Colin Downs has been visiting friends in Beaufort.

Mrs W. Humphries, of Beaufort, has been spending a holiday in Sydney.

Mrs Palmer, of Ballarat, has been on a visit to Mr W. H. Williams and the Misses Williams, of Beaufort.

Mrs J. Smith is spending a holiday at Beaufort with her mother, Mrs. Wilkinson.

Mr Bert Stewart, who resides in Gippsland, is on a visit to his father (Mr J. Stewart, senr.) and sister (Mrs A. S. Duncan) at Beaufort.

Dr. Crick, the Anglican Bishop of Ballarat, and Mrs Crick, have arrived in England, and are staying at Denbworth, Chichester. They will leave again for Australia in October.

**FANCY DRESS PROCESSION** from Rotunda on Easter Monday.

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**A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.**

"Temptations are a file which rub off most of the rust of self-confidence."

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1935.

**Publication Received.**

The April issue of the very much improved "Australian Golf and Tennis Magazine" is to hand.

**Interest on Rates.**

The Shire of Ripon notifies that interest will be charged on all rates remaining unpaid after 30th April.

**Accident.**

When Mr Tom Pearce, of Main Lead, was using a horse and dray a few days ago, the dray-wheel passed over his ankle, and caused a painful injury.

**Flower Show Produce Stall.**

The produce stall at the recent Beaufort Mechanics' Institute flower show was conducted by Messdames W. Newey, H. Brown, and R. Woodall. A competition held by the stallholders for a bag of wheat was won by Mr J. Blackie, and a case of apples was divided by Messrs. W. H. Williams and W. V. C. Jenkin.

**Fire Brigade Social Club.**

Under the leadership of Messdames Saph (president) and Duke (secretary) the members of the Beaufort Fire Brigade Ladies' Social Club held a card evening on Tuesday. The ladies' euchre prize was won by Mrs Palmer, of Ballarat, and Mr R. McCormick, senr., won the men's prize. The consolation prizes were secured by Mr W. Day and Mrs W. Smith.

**Bush Fire Brigade.**

The committee of the Beaufort Bush Fire Brigade met at the Shire Hall on Thursday night. Accounts amounting to between £3 and £4 were passed for payment. It was resolved to object to a clause in the Act that provided that where a fire occurred within a mile of a State forest, the forest officer would take charge of operations. It was arranged to get in all donations promised by members.

**58th Battalion Re-union.**

Members of the 58th Btn., A.I.F., Association, will hold a special reunion dinner at the Hotel Australia, Collins street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, April 24th, at 7 p.m., to celebrate the 20th anniversary of Anzac Day. Any member of the battalion who wishes to attend should communicate as soon as possible with the honorary secretary, Mr Fred Ferguson, 55 Fisher Street, East Malvern, S.E.5.

**R.S.L. Matters.**

In a circular from the State secretary of the R.S.L. (Mr Joyce) to the secretary of the Ripon sub-branch (Mr J. B. Roderick), it is stated that Mr G. Holland (State president) will broadcast a membership talk from SAR, on Sunday, 7th inst., at 6.15 p.m. It is emphasised that country soldiers should take advantage of the Health Bureau facilities on Wednesday and Friday of Anzac week. On these two days country children only will be examined. Early advice of intention to attend should be given to the Sister-in-charge, Health Bureau, Anzac House. Name and age of each child should be given, and requests for appointments should be in before Master.

**TENNIS.**

The tennis tournament started by the Beaufort Tennis Club on Foundation Day (mixed doubles) was finished on Monday. In the final Miss J. D'Helin and H. V. Martin defeated Miss Boshier and J. M. Muntz, 6-5, 6-3.

**COMING EVENTS**

Paragraphs are only inserted in this column simultaneously with advertisements.

On Thursday, 11th April, at Becker Street, Beaufort, Mr Theo. W. Schlicht will sell, on account of Mr W. G. Gillingham, a house, galvanised iron sheds (for removal), an engine and saw bench, chaffcutter and dray; and also sundry furniture for other vendors.

Band gala day and fancy dress procession, at Beaufort, Easter Monday. Entries close with secretary on April 15th. Late entries not accepted.

Beaufort Catholic ball, Wednesday, June 5th.

For the Stawell sports on Easter Monday, a special train will leave Beaufort at 9.45 a.m., and will leave Stawell on the return trip at 9.15 p.m.

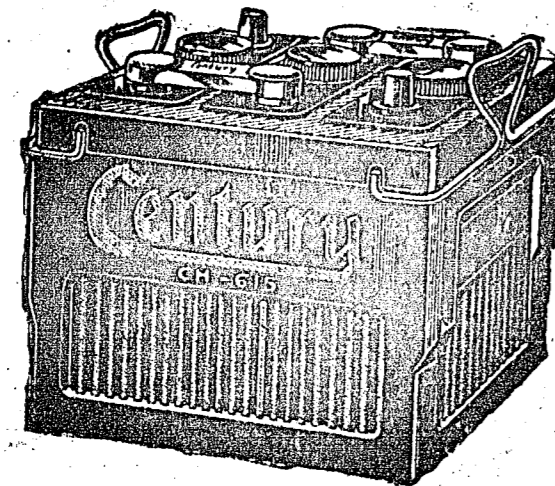
A cycling carnival and fancy dress procession will be held by the Beaufort Town Band, at the Park on Easter Monday.

Annual meeting of Beaufort A.W.N.L., at Mechanics' Institute, on Tuesday, 9th inst., at 3 p.m.

The Beaufort C.W.A. Younger Set will hold a ball in the local Picture Theatre, on Wednesday, April 10th, in aid of the C.W.A. Building Fund.

The music will be supplied by the Denza Dance Band, and there will be lots of novelties.

On account of Mr J. S. Boughton, Messrs. D. R. Hannah & Co. and Dalgety & Co. Ltd., will sell an exceptionally rich Mingay farm of 728 acres, at Messrs. D. R. Hannah & Co.'s office, Craig's Buildings, Ballarat, on Friday afternoon, April 12th.



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**BOWLING CLUB.**

**SINGLES COMPETITION.**

The semi-finals and final for the vice-president's (Mr R. G. Beggs') trophy—a silver mug—was played on the Beaufort Bowling Club's green this week, and resulted in H. O. Collier winning the trophy. Scores:—  
Semi-finals.  
G. Ellis beat R. Mackay, 13-10.  
H. O. Collier beat T. M. Bove, 16-8.

**Final.**

Collier beat Ellis, 17-10.

**New Railway Bridge.**

The Railway Department is reconstructing in steel and concrete the bridge situated on the line about 700 yds. east of the Beaufort station.

CYCLING CARNIVAL, Easter Monday.

**FIRE BRIGADE.**

**AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.**

A very enthusiastic and well-attended meeting of the Beaufort Fire Brigade was held on Monday night. Captain W. F. Smith occupied the chair. Eleven active and six reserve members were present; four men being absent from the district. Correspondence was received from the Chief Officer, relating to the balance-sheet of the Accident and Relief Fund. The Fire Brigades' Association wrote, forwarding their balance-sheet. The Country Fire Board forwarded a copy of the amendment to regulations in regard to compensation in case of death. It was stated that a fund was to be established to provide payment, up to £500 for wife or dependants of firemen killed in the execution of their duty. The correspondence was received, on the motion of Firemen Pope and Dunstan. Accounts amounting to £3/7/6 were passed for payment, on motion of Firemen Pringle and Beer. Under the heading of general business, Secretary J. Duke gave an outline of what transpired at the captains' meeting at Ballarat on 5th March, and also of the teams' work at the Ballarat demonstration. There was a general discussion as to the advisability of obtaining up-to-date appliances for competitions, and also a ladder stand. To this end, the brigade intends to find some way of raising at least £40, and it was suggested that Mr Green be approached to run a dramatic show. When the secretary was asked what donations were received during the year, the answer was, "None, unless we have a fire."

It was decided to hold a flaked hose competition next practice night for a trophy; the secretary to obtain same from some "good Samaritan." The event is to be handicapped. It was also decided to run a scratch fours event on Good Friday morning; 20 firemen having signified their intention of competing. Every team is to run four times, and each man to take a turn at each position. There is to be a £1 trophy. Mr T. Trezise was elected an active member, in place of Mr L. Fitzpatrick, who has left the district. Fireman E. Hopkins was elected to the vacant position of fireman. Mr G. Grant was nominated by Fireman Hyde for the reserve list. Firemen J. Pope and R. Pringle were allotted to hall-cleaning duty for the month of April.

The following are the fours to run on Good Friday:—First four—W. Smith, E. Stevens, S. Whiting, J. Pope. Second four—W. Fitzpatrick, D. Beer, R. Pringle, R. McCormick. Third four—J. Duke, R. Macdonald, R. Hancock, J. Fitzpatrick. Fourth four—E. Hopkins, K. Hyde, A. C. Day, W. Bridges. Fifth four—W. Day, A. Whiting, A. W. Dunstan, and G. Grant.

**FOOTBALL.**

**ANNUAL MEETING OF BEAUFORT CLUB.**

There was an attendance of only 11 members at the annual meeting of the Beaufort Football Club, held at Mr W. Fitzpatrick's shop on Wednesday night, and presided over by Mr W. Gray (president).

A letter was read from the secretary of the Burrumbidgee Association, stating that a meeting would be held on 4th April.

The Skipton Club wrote, stating that they would play a match with Beaufort before the local competitions commenced, if it were returned.

The balance-sheet for the past year, as presented by the secretary (Mr I. Lowe) showed that receipts amounted to £83/11/4, and expenditure to £82/5/7, leaving a credit balance of 15/9. The statement of assets and liabilities showed that assets exceeded liabilities by £5. There is an outstanding account of 15/ due to Mr J. Rush. Several outstanding debts were paid during the year. Mr W. J. Gray certified to the correctness of accounts, and complimented the secretary on the amount of valuable work he had done for the club.

The balance-sheet was adopted, on the motion of Messrs. W. Fitzpatrick and R. Pringle.

The following office-bearers were elected for the ensuing year:—President pro tem, Mr W. J. Gray; secretary and treasurer, Mr I. Lowe (who was complimented by Mr Gray, on his excellent past work); assistant-secretary, Mr W. Fitzpatrick; vice-presidents, Messrs. J. O'Sullivan, W. Liston, P. Murphy, and H. Featherston; committee, Messrs. A. J. Saph, W. R. Glover, W. Scriven, J. T. Glover, A. M. Parker, K. Hyde, J. Cole, H. T. Norman, H. C. Williams, C. Rose, W. O'Sullivan, H. Weinert, T. Trezise, H. Lardner, N. Lardner, R. Hancock, R. Pringle, and F. Leister; selection committee, captain, vice-captain, president, secretary, and Mr J. Cole; goal umpires, Messrs. J. T. Glover and J. Cole; timekeeper, Mr W. O'Sullivan; delegates, Messrs. J. T. Glover, I. Lowe, and K. Hyde; boundary-umpire, Mr W. Fitzpatrick.

The secretary said that the Raglan Club was definitely forming.

The secretary said he had about half the club's guernseys.

The president requested that all players have their guernseys at the Park next Saturday, and suggested that they play another club on the following Saturday.

It was resolved that the delegates to the association have a free hand.

The prices of members' tickets were fixed at 5/ for men and 2/6 for ladies.

Mr H. Featherston was elected gatekeeper for the season.

It was decided to play a match with the C.Y.M.S. Club at the Beaufort Park on Saturday, 27th April, on the motion of Messrs. T. Trezise and I. Lowe.

It was decided that, each applicant for a clearance come before the committee and state his reasons, on the motion of Messrs. Trezise and R. Pringle; an amendment by Messrs. A. Cowell and Hewitt—that in the event of any man wanting a clearance to any other club, it be granted, provided he had sufficient reasons—being lost.

Mr Gray made several suggestions for improving the club's bookkeeping.

It was arranged to have the goal-posts, etc., erected.

A meeting was arranged for the following Tuesday night.

An account for 15/ was passed for payment.

Messrs. F. Minchin, Bryden, and Thos. Lancy, of Korumburra, have been spending a few days in Beaufort.

HOST HOLBROOK says: The Holbrook Queen Olives are the most popular. They are always so tasty and crisp.

**BEAUFORT THISTLE CLUB**

The committee of the Beaufort Thistle Club met at the Aussie Cafe on Tuesday night; 14 members being in attendance, and Mr C. H. McKay (chief) presiding. A letter was read from Mr P. Lewis, enclosing a donation of £1, and also 10/- towards the sports guarantee. The Albert Dance Band, Ballarat, wrote, re music for socials. The Ballarat Merry-makers forwarded a communication, stating that Wednesday, May 1st would be a suitable date on which to give an entertainment. The prices of admission to the concert, was fixed at 2/ and 1/, and the price of admission to the dance at 1/. It was resolved to engage local music for the dance. Doorkeepers and ticket-sellers were appointed. An account for £1 7/4 was passed for payment. Mr R. T. Macdonald moved that the secretary write to the V.S.U. and remind them that they had promised Beaufort a dancing championship medal. Seconded by Mr Brown, and carried. The chief said there had been a wonderful response from the guarantors for the Boxing Day sports. The matter of former Beaufort residents in Melbourne wanting a Back to Beaufort next Christmas was mentioned, and informally discussed. The secretary's action in conveying the best wishes of the members of the club to Misses N. Martin and D. George, who are shortly to be married, was endorsed. It was resolved to lend the colors to the Waterloo Sports Club on Easter Saturday.

**ARARAT SHIRE COUNCIL.**

At the Ararat Shire Council meeting on Tuesday, the engineer (Mr Creswell) reported:—O'Loughlan's road.—The work of construction of 20 chains of this road has been completed at a cost of £59. Gravel and sand have been spread on the Geelong road from O'Loughlan's house to the boundary, as well as on the shire road, where gravel and sand have been provided for repair works. Cr. Kneebone said a plank was broken on the "crooked" bridge at Bal-yrogan, and the formed road there required to be dragged.

**Kangaroo Near Town.**

It is rarely that a kangaroo is seen close to Beaufort, but on Thursday some shire workmen saw one cross the Stockyard Hill road, about 2 1/2 miles out of the town.

**PROCESSION, headed by Town Band, on Easter Monday.**

**BAND CYCLING CARNIVAL, and Fancy Dress Procession on Easter Monday.**

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**CHURCH SERVICES.**

**SUNDAY, 7th APRIL, 1935.**

Salvation Army.—Sunday, 11, Holiness Meeting; 2.30, Sunday School; 7, Waterloo Meeting. Thursday, 8 p.m. Waterloo.—Every alternate Wednesday, at 8 p.m.—Captain Stevens.

Church of England.—Beaufort, 11 and 7; Middle Creek, 3.—Rev. A. Talbot.

Methodist Church.—Chute, 11; Beaufort, 7.—Rev. A. W. Pederick, L.Th. Beaufort, 11.—Mr. C. Waldron, Raglan, 3.—Mr R. Dunn, Waterloo, 3 and 7.30.—S.S.A.

Presbyterian Church.—Lexton, 11; Travalla, 3; Beaufort, 7.—Rev. J. P. MacDougall, M.A.

**PLEASE ATTEND YOUNGER SET BALL.**

In Aid of C.W.A. Building Fund, BEAUFORT PICTURE THEATRE, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10th.

DENZA DANCE BAND. Double Ticket, 5/-; Ladies, 2/6; Gentlemen, 3/-; plus tax.

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**SALE BY AUCTION.**

THURSDAY, 11th APRIL, 1935, At 2.30 p.m., ON THE PREMISES, AT BECKER STREET, BEAUFORT.

Weatherboard Dwelling House, Galvanised Iron Sheds for removal, Engine and Saw Bench, Chaffcutter, Tip Dray, Sundry Furniture.

**THEO. W. SCHLICHT,**

Having been favoured with instructions from Mr. W. G. GILLINGHAM, of Beaufort, who is removing into larger premises, will Sell:—

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As Mr. Gillingham is giving up the saw-milling business, everything is for genuine sale.

Also, on behalf of other Vendors:—Lot of Sundry, good, useful Furniture.

**MINGAY FARM.**

FRIDAY, APRIL 12th, 1935, At 3 p.m.,

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Terms at Sale. Further particulars from the Agents.

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**SHIRE OF RIPON.**

**INTEREST ON RATES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Interest will be charged on all Rates remaining unpaid after 30th APRIL, 1935.

NORMAN B. ACTON, Shire Secretary, Beaufort, 6/4/35.

**SHIRE OF RIPON.**

**TENDERS.**

TENDERS are invited and will be received up to 11 a.m. on MONDAY, APRIL 8th, 1935, for the undermentioned works:—  
16/35, West Riding.—750 cubic yds. gravel, on Mt. Emu—Streatham Road.

17/35, West Riding.—200 cub. yds. Gravel, on Banongil Road.

Deposit, 5 per cent. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Specifications may be seen at Snake Valley Mechanics' Institute, Skipton Mechanics' Institute, and Shire Offices, Beaufort.

E. S. CROUCH, C.E., L.S., A.M.I.E.A., Shire Engineer. 29/3/35.

**A LOST HAT.**

WOULD the Gentleman who lost his hat, marked "A.J.S.," at the Waterloo Cricketers' Smoke Night last Saturday night, please communicate with the Secretary.

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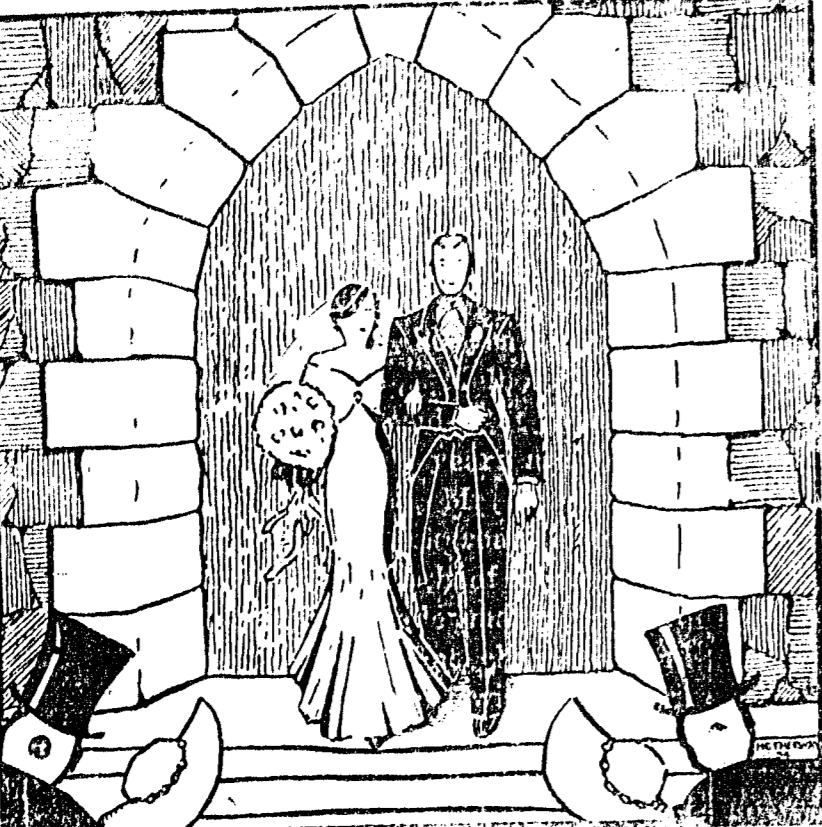
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**ENGINEER'S REPORT. BEAUFORT CEMETERY. COMMERCIAL.**

The following report by the engineer (Mr E. S. Crouch, C.E., L.S.) will be dealt with at the meeting of the Ripon Shire Council on Monday:-

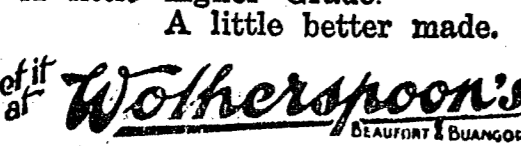
1. Application by R. G. Beggs, Esq., to fence portion of road.—The proposal affects portion of the Eurambeen—Streatham and Geelong roads, at what is known as "The Cross Roads," and has been indicated to me on the ground. A creek bed lying between the property of the applicant and the made portion of the roads would be included with the fencing of the property. It is recommended that no objection be raised to the proposal.

2. Application of T. H. W. Broadbent, Esq., deceased, to lease road.—As indicated verbally, following my report of last meeting, it is desired to continue with this application. The road is unmade and not required for traffic, and it is recommended that no objection be offered to the lease applied for.

3. Fencing of Stewart Park, Skipton.—About seven chains of fencing with concrete posts and a pipe railing is estimated could be effected for a cost of £30. If, however, only that portion adjoining the roadway is to be so done, and the balance left open, as in \_\_\_\_\_ Park immediately opposite, a cost of £12 is estimated would suffice.

The quarterly meeting of the trustees of the Beaufort Public Cemetery was held at the secretary's residence on Thursday evening, and was attended by Messrs. J. R. Wotherpoon (chairman), W. O'Sullivan, and A. Parker (secretary). The secretary's financial statement showed that the receipts for the quarter had amounted to £16/13/6, and the expenditure to £13/3/6; the bank balance to the credit of the trust being £64/19/1. The books and accounts were examined by the trustees and found to be correct. The secretary stated that the sexton had suggested that a double row of graves on the eastern boundary of the old Church of England ground be added to the plan. It would provide for 42 additional graves; an offer having been made to buy a double block. The secretary was instructed, on the motion of Messrs. O'Sullivan and Wotherpoon, to get Mr Muntz to include this ground in the plan.

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**Beaufort A.N.A.**

Six members of the Beaufort branch, A.N.A., were present at a fortnightly meeting on Tuesday night, at the Mechanics' Institute; Mr J. E. Pearce (president) presiding. The treasurer (Mr N. S. McLeod) reported that there was a credit balance of £22/5/10. Accounts amounting to £10 were passed for payment. Routine correspondence was dealt with. A letter was received from Mr H. Smith, acknowledging receipt of endowment bonus. Messrs. W. Gray (secretary) and E. Wilson (ex-president) gave an interesting report on the recent conference of the association, held at Queenscliff. Mr Gray mentioned that Mr Toohy (chief president), who lived at Warracknabeal, would visit the Beaufort branch during the year. The delegates were accorded a vote of thanks for their report, on the motion of Messrs Parker and McLeod.

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**BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.**

D. R. Hannah & Co. report:—Cattle: 5 cows from Ascot, to £5; 4 cows from Buninyong; 2 cows, Mr. F. Knowles, Scotsburn; 1 cow, Mr. W. Frank, Ballarat; 2, Mr. A. Wilkins, Wendouree. Sheep: 111 merino ewes and wethers, Mr. John Lancy, Raglan, wethers at 12/; ewes 9/2; 104 merino and comeback wethers from Maroona, to 17/11; 78 comeback wethers, Messrs. D. and F. Duffin, Wendouree, to 15/; 20 comeback ewes, Mr. D. Lyons, Navigators, 13 2-tooth, Messrs. Gray and Swan, Wendouree, to 17/10; 9 comeback wethers, Mr. Finch, Smythe's Creek, at 17/1. Lambs: 76 from Scotsburn; 8, Mr. H. Finch, Smythe's Creek, at 16/6; 3, Mr. D. Lyons, Navigators; 1, Mr. A. Jolly, Smythe's road, at 16/7.

The following district sales are reported by other auctioneers:—40 lambs, Mr. W. T. Bagnall, Carranballac, 19/7 to 20/7, averaging 20/2, top price and average of market; 35 cows and heifers, Lang-Kal-Kal Pty. Ltd., Lang-Kal-Kal, Trawalla, to £5/17/6; 224 merino wethers, same owners, 16/10 to 11/2, averaging 13/10.

**LOCAL FIXTURES.**

**Regular Local Meetings.**

Ripon Shire Council.—Second Monday in the month.

Police Court.—Every Monday (except holidays).

Mechanics' Institute.—First Monday in the month.

Fire Brigade.—First Monday in the month.

Bush Nursing Hospital Committee.—Second Monday in the month.

C.W.A.—First Thursday in the month.

C.Y.M.S.—Second Monday in the month.

Fiery Creek Lodge.—Second Wednesday in the month.

Mark Lodge.—Fourth Thursday in every second month.

A.N.A.—Every alternate Tuesday. Mothers' Guild meets alternate Tuesday to A.N.A.

Oddfellows.—Every alternate Thursday to Rechabites.

Rechabites.—Every alternate Thursday to Oddfellows.

Literary and Debating Society.—Alternate Tuesdays to A.N.A. (winter months only).

Mechanics' Bridge Evening.—Last Monday in each month.

Brass Band.—Third Wednesday in the month.

Committee Ripon Sub-branch, R.S.L.—Second Saturday evening of each month.

School Committee.—Third Monday in each month.

Fire Brigade Ladies' Social Club.—First and Third Tuesdays of month.

**BEAUFORT C.W.A.**

**MANNEQUIN PARADE.**

The Beaufort branch of the C.W.A. provided a red-letter day for the ladies of the town and district on Thursday, when they authorised a mannequin parade of Melbourne's latest and most interesting fashions, which was directed by Madame Monica. This treat had been promised to Beaufort's feminine population for several months, and as the local shopkeepers were at the time unable to oblige, it was decided that, rather than disappoint the ladies, Madame Monica, of Centre Court, Melbourne, would be asked to give the display. She readily agreed, at great inconvenience and expense to herself, to give the show free of charge to the C.W.A. It came up to all expectations. Beginning with the smartest sports and street wear, topped off by the craziest but most becoming little hats, and working up through luxurious great coats to elaborate evening frocks of every design and material to suit all personalities, the parade never once allowed the interest to flag. Each item was greeted with rounds of applause, which testified to the fact that Dame Fashion can always captivate the ladies. A special feature was a beautiful wedding procession; Mrs Kelly (Melbourne) being the bride, Mrs M. Watkin and Miss M. O'Callaghan the maids, and little Beverley Watkin the trainbearer. Beverley was also the tiniest mannequin, and showed off some delightful kiddies' clothing. Mesdames Sheffield, Kelly, Guyatt, and Misses M. O'Callaghan, K. Liston, K. Conlon, D. and M. Parker, D. O'Neil, E. Green, J. Skene, L. Anderson, V. Cuthbertson, G. Brown, B. Schlicht, and N. O'Brien, who acted as mannequins, all carried off the clothes to perfection, and deserve to be congratulated upon their excellent work. The Younger Set members who were not mannequins, sold programmes, and helped in all ways possible.

There was an excellent attendance, and the show was repeated in the evening.

As a preliminary to the parade, Mr J. H. Davey, of Ballarat, gave a very interesting talk about "Hints on Daffodil Growing," which was greatly appreciated. He was thanked by the president (Mrs L. Watkin), who also thanked Madame Monica, Mrs Kelly, the mannequins, Mrs Hughes, Engineer-commander Mackenzie, and everyone who had helped to make the affair so successful. The afternoon function terminated with the singing of the National Anthem.

There was a large attendance at night, when songs were well rendered by Mrs Percy Kelly and Mr Noel Wotherpoon. A mouth-organ duet was given by Messrs. H. Dunn and A. Laney. Mrs S. E. Humphreys played the accompaniments.

**MACHINE-GUN PRACTICE.**

At the Beaufort rifle range on Saturday afternoon, members of the Beaufort detachment of the 8th Btn. were at machine gun practice.

**MARCH RAINFALL.**

The rainfall at Beaufort for March was 102 points, compared with 16 last year. For the past three months the total was 297 points, and that of the first quarter of 1934 was 299 points.

**Kitchen Tea.**

In honor of her approaching marriage, Miss N. Martin was entertained at a kitchen tea by the Beaufort Methodists on Tuesday night. She was the recipient of hearty good wishes and many useful gifts.

**BAND GYMKHANA, Easter Monday.**

**NEW BEAUFORT TALKIES. SATURDAY NEXT, APRIL 6th, 1935, AT 8 P.M.**

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**WIT AND HUMOR.**

Country Girl: What would you do if you were in my shoes?  
Town Girl: I'd get lost, I'm afraid!

Her: I would like to know why you refuse to marry me?  
She: Pardon me, but I don't think you would.

Pollywog: What's the trouble between Wilkins and his wife? I thought she was the light of his life?  
Jellydog: So she was, but she went out too often.

Mrs. Fijit: How do you account for the fact that after woman can make a shilling go further than a man can?  
Fijit: I guess it must be because she makes it go faster.

"Pardon me, professor, but last night your daughter accepted my proposal of marriage. I have called this morning to ask you if there is any insanity in your family?"  
"There must be."

Husband: My wife explored my pockets last night.  
Friend: What did she get?  
Husband: Oh, what an explorer usually gets—enough material for a lecture!

"Your husband says he lives a dog's life," said one woman.  
"Yes, it's very similar," answered the other. "He comes in with muddy feet, makes himself comfortable by the fire, and waits to be fed."

Wilford was sitting upon his father's knee, watching his mother arranging her hair.  
"Papa hasn't any Marcel waves like that," said the father laughingly.  
Wilford, looking up at his father's bald pate, replied: "No, no waves; it's all beach."

Bachelor: I have always had an idea that after a couple have been married for some time, even their thoughts become to a great degree identical. Am I right?  
Benedict: You are. About this time my wife is thinking of what she'll say to me for coming home so late—and so am I.

"You," sighed the rejected lover, "would find your name written in imperishable characters on my heart could you but look."  
"So?" murmured the fair young thing, who was aware of the fact that the swain had been playing Romeo at the seaside for something like twenty years. "So? Then you must have a heart like a local directory, by this time."

They were decorating the parish church for a certain festival, when the vicar came in. Seeing some tacks lying about the pulpit, he remarked to his daughter, who had apparently been using them:—  
"Don't leave those tacks lying about Katie. What would happen if I stepped on one in the middle of the sermon?"  
"Well," exclaimed Katie, "there would be one point you wouldn't linger on."

At an evening party a younger elderly lady was dancing with a very partner. A stranger approached Douglas Jerrold, who was looking on, and said: "Pray, sir, can you tell me who is that young gentleman dancing with that very elderly lady?"  
"One of the Humane Society, I think," replied Jerrold.

Visitor: What lovely furniture!  
Little Tommy: Yes, I think the man we bought it from is sorry now he sold it—anyhow, he's always calling.

Two old-age pensioners got to talking about sight and hearing—a Scotzman, aged seventy-two, and an Irishman, aged seventy-six. The Scot said he could see as well as ever. The Irishman asserted that he could hear as well as ever.

"Do you see the deer walking along the top of the mountain about four miles off?" said the Scot.  
The Irishman looked and looked, then said: "I can't see him, but I can hear him walk."  
Scottie went home.

Hugo Arnot, the historian of Edinburgh, was one day waited upon by a woman who requested him to advise her how she might best get rid of an admirer whose importunities caused her annoyance. The woman was the reverse of fascinating, and Arnot, being indisposed to flatter her vanity, replied:  
"Oh, you had better marry the scallow."  
"Marry him!" replied the astonished woman. "I would see him hanged first."  
"Marry him, then," paraded the humorist, "and I'll bet he'll soon hang himself."

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## Ripon Council Decides to Limit Loads on Certain West Riding Roads.

### LIMITING LOADS.

#### NEW RESTRICTIONS IN WEST RIDING.

The matter of load limits on certain roads in the West riding was the order of the day at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday.

Cr. Kirkpatrick said the matter had been deferred from last meeting.

Cr. Wills remarked that Cr. Troy had said at last meeting, in a very nice way, that they were making poor roads in the West riding, and wanted to move in the matter of limiting loads to protect them. At a Carranballac Progress Association meeting, he asked for an expression of opinion as to the roads they were making. He asked them were they satisfied with gravel roads, and mentioned that the last contract cost 2/8 per yard. They said it was not the best road, but a good one for the money, and if they wanted a more expensive road, they would get less of it, and have to pay more for it. They said they were satisfied with the roads being made, which they had the use of—a thing they had never had for years. They passed a resolution that they were satisfied with the roads being made. He also asked for an expression of opinion as to limiting loads on roads. It was not yesterday or to-day, that he took an interest in the roads, but he went back to Mr Muntz's time as engineer. He instanced a case of a man dragging a plough behind a vehicle on a new piece of road, and putting three furrows through it. That was some years ago. They had made some good gravel roads in Ararat Shire, and had protected them by limiting loads. Roads were often damaged by trucks carting straw for people who were not ratepayers. At Mortlake a man would soon get visit from the shire engineer, if he overloaded. If they controlled the weight of the loads in winter for one year, they would never go back on it.

Cr. Kirkpatrick — He was in favor of a load limit. The secretary informed Cr. Kirkpatrick that Ararat Shire granted a permit to cart. Cr. Stewart said they should be uniform with Ararat, and he was quite in favor of the proposal. Cr. Roddis — They would have to make the regulations apply to general loading. Cr. Kirkpatrick — It would save a great amount of money. The secretary said that Ararat enforced the regulations for four months of the year. In answer to Cr. Russell, Cr. Kirkpatrick said they would not allow a man to cart a 5-ton load over a newly-formed road, or any road in a wet condition. After further discussion, Cr. Kirkpatrick moved that the council have load limits on certain roads in the West riding, on the same lines as Ararat; the roads to be discussed with the engineer. Seconded by Cr. Wills, and carried.

The matter of defining the roads was left in the hands of the West riding members, on the motion of Crs. Roddis and Stewart.

PROCESSION, headed by Town Band, on Easter Monday.

### HEALTH REPORTS.

The following health reports were dealt with at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday:—

O. Henderson, health inspector, reported:—Pure food supplies for the first quarter of the year have been collected and sent on to the analyst. A survey has been made of the premises of persons supplying the town with milk, and he found only one place really up to the standard; others fair, and some only needed a good wash and general clean-up. Others would have to put down a washable floor, preferably a concrete one; otherwise no licence would be issued allowing milk to be sold according to the Act. The town drains generally wanted a good cleaning and flushing.—Received, and referred to North riding members, on the motion of Crs. Stewart and Russell. From Dr. J. B. Donaldson, M.O.H., East riding, reporting that there had been a few cases of influenza and whooping cough during March. The riding was very healthy at present. They had the usual senile and chronic ailments and accidents.—Received.

Dr. C. C. Reid, M.O.H., West riding, reported that influenza was still prevalent. Carranballac State school was visited by the bush nurse, and instruction was given to the children.—Received.

### COUNCIL'S REQUEST REFUSED.

Crown Law Department Declines To Reserve Room at Court House As Mortuary.

A letter was read at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday from the Secretary to the Law Department, stating that suggestion that forest officer should vacate the office now regularly occupied by him, so that same could be used for reception of bodies, whilst awaiting view by coroner or his deputy, on rare occasions when this was necessary, could not be treated seriously. Moreover, even if such an arrangement were agreed to, the presence of bodies in such a public building as a court house, which was frequently resorted to by the public, would be most objectionable, not only to the relatives, but to the officers and the public alike. In the circumstances, therefore, he had no suggestion to make alternative to that conveyed on 1st ult.—The president (Cr. McKay) —It was unsatisfactory, and they should ask the Crown Law Department, if they were prepared to erect a mortuary. Cr. Troy—Nothing could be more degrading than the present method. He moved that the Crown Law Department be asked to erect a mortuary. Seconded by Cr. Kirkpatrick, and carried.

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Report of Electricity Supply Committee. The Electricity Supply Committee reported that at a meeting on 11/3/35, attended by Crs. Troy, Sinclair, and McKay, correspondence was read from the Electricity Commission, acknowledging receipt of letter re repairs, &c., to poles.—Received. The secretary reported a debit balance of £533/13/10. On motion of Crs. McKay and Sinclair, the

### RIPON SHIRE REPORTS.

The following reports were dealt with at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday:—

Secretary's Financial Statement. The Secretary's financial statement was as follows:—Sundries received and banked, £1238/9/5; Dr. balance, last report, £220/4/4; cheques paid, £1131/12/3. Ridings account: North, Dr. £1177/13/6; East, Dr. £72/15/8; West, Dr. £301/17/7. Beaufort water supply, Dr. £944/9/7; Snake Valley water supply, Dr. £12/12/2; trust, Cr. £72/19/5.—Adopted. In answer to Cr. Wills, the secretary said the rates were not coming in too well, but the receipts compared favorably, with other years. There was a big payment always in April.

Finance. The following accounts were passed for payment on the recommendation of the finance committee:—W. L. Williams, 10/10; A. Parker, £6/17/2; E. Whitehead & Co., £4/1/8; salaries, £74/18/6; engineer's car allowance, £8/6/8; S. T. Roberts, £3/5/5; Dr. Humphreys, £10; Dr. Reid, £7/10; Dr. Donaldson, £7/10; Ararat Health Group, £8/5/1; Cr. McKay (president's allowance), £10; Country Roads Board (permanent), £259/8/1; maintenance, £698/1/9; developmental, £760/6/6; £1717/16/4; Treasurer of Victoria, £63/1/7; G. V. Slater, £1; J. T. Glover, £16/7/6; W. F. Wookley, £30/17/6; C. Morvell, £21/10/7; G. E. Millist, £6/14/8; Noyes Bros., 18/8; Electricity Supply, £18/16/10; J. A. Harris, £7/8/1; Country Fire Board, £5/16/4; secretary, £2; Rockla Ltd., £25/5/5; Yeoman Bros., £16/8/10; L. Greenland, £1/5/4; Sands & Johnson, £1/12/9; R. Ward, £3/17/7; H. Lennon & Co., £1/5/1; Wise Bros., £7/15/1; Alf. Nunn, £2/9/1; Gray's, £12/5/4; J. Ryan, £3/2/10; Concrete Construction, £29/9/1; H. T. Brown, £5/10/10; Whitfield Bros., £17/3/6; W. Riley, 10/6; A. Wilson, £1/6/3; Mining Supplies Co., £7/14/11; J. R. Wotherspoon & Co., £8/4/6; A. W. Dunstan, £11/5/6; A. J. Skene, £10/10/2; Alliance Insurance Co., £1/4/6; F. J. Webster, £9/14/8; W. H. Williams, £3/11/1; Danks & Son, £12/19/7; B. & W. Co-op., £11/13/5; Ararat Shire, £32/5/2; Alliance Insurance Co., 17/8; R. Fitzpatrick, £1/13/1; H. Hayward, £3/18/9; H. Lake, 15/9; C. W. Broadbent, £23/3/3; J. E. Wallish, £35/10/5; vouchers, £429/18/6; Alf. Nunn, £18/18/2; Whitfield Bros., £70; W. C. Cheeseman, £2/16/5; Broadbent Bros., £156/6/1; C. E. Brown, £90; Alf. Nunn, £83; Whitfield Bros., £3; Broadbent Bros., £15/1; Alf. Nunn, £2/5/1; C. E. Brown, £2/12/1; Stoddart, £10; total, £321/10/10. C.R.E. payments—Alf. Nunn, £3/13/6; Yeoman Bros., 18/1; vouchers, £114/8/11; J. and W. Wise, £9/17/1; voucher, £20/11/3; J. and W. Wise, £1/17/6; total, £141/1/2.

Report of East Riding Members. The East riding members reported that at a meeting on 11/3/35, attended by Crs. Russell, Roddis, and McDonald, it was resolved:—Kelly's corner, pare down, as recommended north side. Beaufort—Carnham road—Blinding at Lillirie. Mortchup Mt. Emu road—Attend to balance forming in spring. Currie's lane, N. and S. parts.—Three sections want attention. Footbridge, McIntyre's—McErvale's—To be made plank type only. Trawalla—Graveling west from McIntyre's referred to estimates. Report cost of fencing Stewart's Park, Skipton. Skipton honor avenue, and name plates referred again to councillors.—Adopted.

North Riding Members' Reports. The North riding members reported that at a meeting on 11/3/35, it was resolved:—Blinding and tracking, Star's road, to be attended to. At a further meeting on 3/4/35, it was resolved that two red lights be put on danger sign, Neill street. Remove treggnars, honor avenue. Carpenter's road—Gravel south end. Matthews' road—Patch six chains west of Carpenter's.—Adopted, on motion of Crs. Russell and Wills.

Mr. Sinclair said the North riding had visited all parts of the riding, but were only doing necessary works. On the motion of Crs. Stewart and Roddis, the North riding members were appointed to act as a tender committee, in regard to Carpenter's road.

PAND GYMKHANA, Easter Monday.

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### OBITUARY.

#### MRS. MARY ANN CARLAND.

The death occurred on Thursday night last, 28th ult., of an old and respected resident of Ballarat, Mrs Mary Ann Carland. The deceased, who was the widow of the late Patrick Carland, was 86 years of age, and was born in Melbourne. For many years she resided at Waterloo, and came about two years ago to live with her grandson, Mr Geo. McAdam, at 5111 Creswick road. The late Mrs Carland, although of a quiet and retiring nature, made many friends. She was a lady of fine character and high ideals, and was, with members of her family, always ready to assist any worthy cause. The funeral took place from the residence of her grandson on Saturday morning to the Ballarat New Cemetery, and was largely attended by friends from the districts where she was well known. The casket-bearers were Messrs. A. Schonfelder, G. and R. McAdam, J. W. and William Anderson (grandsons), and they were accompanied by Mesdames T. Abrey, M. Murray, W. Anderson, and Miss L. Carland (daughters), Mr and Mrs L. Gipp, Mesdames G. McAdam, L. Yurish, L. Schonfelder (grandsons and granddaughters) and other relatives. Mr J. H. Gleeson officiated at the graveside, and the mortuary arrangements were carried out by Messrs. A. W. Hager & Sons.

#### "The Australian Journal."

The most notable feature of the April "Australian Journal" is the first part of a new serial by the famous Australian writer, William Hatfield, author of "Sheepmates" and other successful novels. His new yarn is called "Black Waterlily," and starts in a style which indicates that Hatfield has left all his previous performances far behind. The "Journal" also contains some excellent complete and well-illustrated stories by other well-known Australian writers. There are also feature pages, etc. Sixpence still buys this popular magazine from all newsagents.

#### 8th Battalion.

In honor of His Majesty's jubilee, the 8th Battalion will troop the King's colors on Monday, 8th May. The detachments from Ararat, Beaufort, and Stawell will concentrate in Ballarat, on 4th May, to enable full dress rehearsals to be held prior to the ceremony. It is anticipated that the Battalion will muster its full strength of approximately 450 for the occasion. Rehearsals and practice will commence immediately.

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## UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF.

### COMPLAINTS IN REGARD TO WORK FOR SUSTENANCE CONDITIONS IN SHIRE.

At Monday's meeting the Ripon Shire Council received a letter from the Department of Labor, stating that recent visitors to that office from Beaufort submitted certain complaints in connection with work in return for sustenance conditions in the shire. It was alleged:—That subsection 3 of section 8 of Act was not being complied with in respect of transport of men working beyond the three-mile limit. The shire engineer is reported to have stated that in lieu thereof, the camping out allowance of 1/8 per day would be paid, but was received for one week only. That certain works on the back road involved a walk of 7 miles for men residing on the main road, as they are unable to negotiate the 2-mile direct bush route to the job. They claim either conveyance by road or camping-out allowance. That men are employed in connection with the town water supply as work in return for sustenance, and have not received the higher rate of wages said to be applicable thereto. They had, of course, no knowledge of these matters to enable them to reply, and would be glad of any information the council would be good enough to supply.

Mr E. S. Crouch, shire engineer, reported as follows:—Re letter sustenance branch.—Travelling and distance.—Sub-section 3 of section 8 has been in general complied with, and transport arranged from the point of assembly to the works and return. In certain cases, however, with the concurrence of the men concerned, camping allowance of 1/8 per day has been paid, and the point of assembly has been up to five miles from the men's residences. There is no complaint against the practice, but rather an expressed desire by a few others, whose distance borders on the specified radius, that camping allowance be granted to them also. The allowance is defrayed by the council, and is an expedient used where transport costs would be excessive. Allowance was paid to certain men in one week, only in special circumstances, where through oversight, the distance was infringed to the extent of half-a-mile. Application was made and granted for allowance in respect of the period affected. Back road and Main Lead.—The mentioned distance of seven miles from what no doubt is meant Main Lead to the back Raglan road is considered a weak objection to this work. Access is reasonably gained in less than two miles; the longer way, via Beaufort, is not necessary, nor, for that matter, used in practice. Water supply work.—No difference in wages rate was observed, nor has any representation been made that such should have been the case. The work was excavations and infilling of trenches for pipe lines not exceeding 5 inches diameter. The above matter, excepting the last-mentioned, appears an echo of certain representations disallowed, and objections raised to allotted work, and the complaints contained therein appear more the viewpoint of a small section rather than the bulk of the men working

for sustenance. The "visitors" referred to in letter may number amongst these few. It would be helpful to have a direction from the Department of Labor on the general case, as (a) to what procedure should be followed where men are resident in isolated positions, and it is impracticable or inexpedient for the council to provide supervision and equipment or transport within three miles of their residences; and (b) as to whether men, providing they are assembled and dismissed at a point bordering on three miles of their residences, may object, to effect during the course of their employment, work which lies beyond that point, and to and from which it is usual and common practice for permanent men to walk during the hours of employment.

Cr. Sinclair — That would be sufficient, if sent to them.

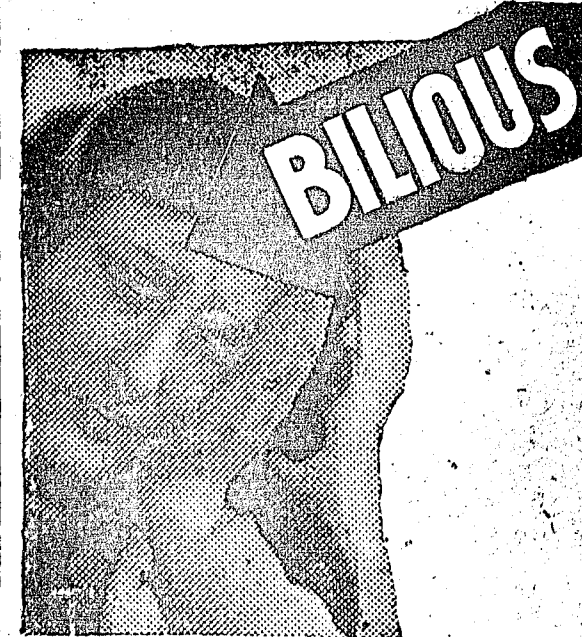
Cr. Roddis moved that it be sent to the Department. Seconded by Cr. Wills, and carried.

From same, re uniform system of doing work for sustenance; the men to be paid in advance.—The secretary—It looked as if the new Government had put a construction on the Act that let them out of their promise that the strikers would be paid. Cr. Sinclair said he thought that paying the men in advance was absurd. Cr. Roddis — It was not a workable thing at all. The president (Cr. McKay) — It was the Act, and had nothing to do with them. Cr. Sinclair—Some councils had refused to take it up. The secretary — The men had to work longer, and the rates were increased. The council had to provide more supervision and material. Cr. Troy — He would make some suggestions to the North riding members when they met, but as to payment, they could only carry out instructions. Crs: Roddis and Stewart both remarked that payment in advance was not a fair thing. The president — It was out of their jurisdiction.

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## POLICE COURT.

Messrs. R. A. D. Sinclair (chairman), D. F. Troy, L. Smith, and C. H. McKay, J's.P., presided over the Beaufort Police Court on Monday. Mr Sinclair asked Cr. McKay, as president of the shire and chief magistrate of the town, to take the chair, but Cr. McKay, owing to his short experience, expressed a wish that Cr. Sinclair should occupy that position.

### Summons To Show Cause.

Senior-constable R. McCormick proceeded against Henry Joynton to show cause why a warrant of commitment should not be issued against him for non-payment of a fine of 20/ inflicted by the Beaufort bench on 4th March, 1935. He said a distress warrant had been issued, but was returned, as there were no effects. An order was made for a warrant of commitment, in default of payment of the fine, defendant to be imprisoned for seven days.

### Charge Against Motorist Dismissed.

Senior-constable R. McCormick proceeded against John Gibb for having, at Trawalla, on the second day of March, 1935, driven a motor car on a public highway in a manner which was dangerous to the public, having regard to all the circumstances of the case.

Senior-constable McCormick conducted the prosecution, and Mr D. Lazarus appeared for the defendant, who pleaded not guilty.

The case lasted for over two hours, and a great deal of evidence was taken, with a lot of cross-examination.

According to the prosecution, Murray Tracey, laborer of Landborough, was returning home from Melbourne, with his father, mother, and two children, driving a Studebaker truck, with two headlights, at about 15 miles an hour, on the right side of the road, and when he had reached the Trawalla Hill at about 9 p.m. on 2nd March, defendant, who was driving a Sedan car, came towards him from the opposite direction on his off side, and the front wheels of the vehicles collided. Tracy described the

damage done to his front wheel, axle, steering gear, chassis, cabin door, and running-board. He jammed the brakes on, and travelled about 10 yds. towards the other side of the road. He got out of his truck, and met Gibb coming back from his car, and who asked him if anyone was hurt. Tracey said no. Gibb said Tracey was on his wrong side, but Tracey replied that he was on his correct side. Gibb then said, "Don't shift anything, and we'll send for the police." The police came, and measured the distances from the marks on the road. Tracey said he occupied 6 ft. 9 in. from the bitumen, and the other 15 ft. 9 in. Gibb was occupying. Gibb and he agreed that the accident occurred where the police said it did. They could see the marks on the bitumen. When the police came, Gibb's car was 63 yds. from where the accident occurred.

Under cross-examination, Tracey said his greatest speed from Ballarat was 20 miles an hour, but as Gibb's lights dazzled him, and he did not really know where he was, and was not taking any risks, he slowed down to about 15 miles and pulled right over off the bitumen on his correct side. About a foot of windscreen was boarded up, but it did not prevent him from getting a view of the side of the road. He was going straight, but the other car swung right into his car, and was hit on the off side.

John Tracey, wood merchant, Ballarat, father of last witness, gave corroborative evidence and swore that Gibb was travelling from 40 to 50 miles an hour. He was blinded by the lights, and it looked as if they were going to be killed—he did not know how they escaped—but no one was hurt.

Cross-examined—His son had carted wood out of paddocks, but had only been licensed a month, and had never driven on the road at night before. Gibb did not seem to think it was the mark of his car when it was pointed out by the police.

Senior-constable R. McCormick gave evidence as to marks on the road and measurements taken, and

said the accident happened practically on the end of the curve of the road in a line with the white posts.

First-constable J. Duke corroborated last witness.

John Gibb, farmer, Stockyard Hill, sworn, stated he was driving his car on the Western Highway, between Beaufort and Trawalla, at about half-past 8 or a quarter to 9 on 2nd March, and coming up Trawalla Hill at about 30 to 35 miles an hour on his correct side. He saw lights of a motor vehicle about 100 yds. away. The left hand wheel of his car was on the edge of the bitumen near the posts, which formed a circle, and he continued as far over as he could get on that side. He couldn't look at the lights of the truck till it got up to him, and next moment it struck him. He saw the wheels were going to touch, and threw his clutch out. He pulled up in seven or eight yards, and Mr Nicholson, his brother-in-law, who was with him, jumped out, and was told that no one was hurt. He had no control of the steering, and as it was down hill, he let the car run until it stopped. The wheel was badly buckled and jammed under his car, and caused the mark on the off side; the big mark being caused by blown tyres. His off-side mudguard was bent a little, and the wheel badly buckled. Either the father or the son said they did not want the police, but witness told them all accidents had to be reported, and he asked a passing driver to report the accident to the police.

When the police came and got hold of a lantern off Tracey's truck pole, he objected very strongly to what was said to be his wheel mark, which he said was done by two blown up tyres. The police would not look at the mark on the left, when he asked about this, but only showed where he allowed his car to run. He had never agreed that the mark pointed out by the police was made by his car. He sent to Ballarat for a breakdown car, and wired his solicitor to send up an independent man to take the measurements. He had been driving a car for about 12 years.

Cross-examined—The evidence of

the driver of the truck and the police that he agreed as to the point where the collision occurred was incorrect. He did not start to measure Frank Nicholson corroborated last witness, swearing that the collision occurred about the centre of the road, between the second last and last post. He told the police he didn't know much about it.

Horace Jenkinson and Hilton George Hamner, motor mechanics, of Ballarat, and Thos. Chas. Lawrence, garage proprietor, of Ballarat, who had visited the scene of the accident and taken measurements, gave evidence in support of defendant's statement.

The Bench retired for a few minutes, and on resuming, Mr Sinclair announced that the Bench had decided to dismiss the case.

Senior-constable McCormick—Any reason?

Mr Sinclair—The reason is the Bench think both were pretty near the centre of the road.

Mr Lazarus asked if any costs would be allowed.

Mr Sinclair replied that as the police were sent for, and what they did was done conscientiously, the Bench were not inclined to allow any costs.

A similar charge against Henry Herman Chick on the same date was, on the application of Senior-constable McCormick (who said he had received a telegram that two of the principal witnesses were unable to attend), adjourned till 29th April.

A debt case having been settled out of court was withdrawn.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 1935. THE "RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE." Owing to Good Friday interfering with our usual arrangements, our next issue will be published on Thursday evening next...

PENSIONS. As the usual pension day falls on Anzac Day, payment will be made on Wednesday, 24th inst.

SHIRE TENDERS. Tenders are invited by the Shire of Ripon for several contracts, and also a quotation for surface gravel.

RAINFALL. On Sunday night and Monday 42 points of rain fell at Beaufort, and on Thursday night an additional 14 points were recorded.

BEAUFORT GUN CLUB. On Easter Thursday, 18th inst., commencing at 11 a.m., the annual pigeon match of the Gampians will be shot off at the Beaufort Gun Club's grounds...

As Mr E. J. Muntz, district C.R.B. engineer, retires this year, he is to be succeeded by Mr Gray. It is rumored that the office is being shifted to Stawell, and if this proves correct, a strong local protest will be made.

The final of the Beaufort district tennis competition resulted—Trawalla, 5 rubbers, 11 sets, 38 games; Beaufort Methodist A, 3 rubbers, 8 sets, 81 games.

Several news items are unavoidably held over. It has been arranged that the Ararat clerk of courts will visit Beaufort fortnightly, and that Senior-constable McCormick will be relieved of those duties...

COMING EVENTS

Paragraphs are only inserted in this column simultaneously with advertisements.

Band gala day and fancy dress procession, at Beaufort, Easter Monday. Entries close with secretary on April 15th. Late entries not accepted.

As excellent entries have been received, the Buangor sports to-day (Saturday) should be well worth patronising. A dance follows at night.

Beaufort Anzac Day Commemoration Service, Sunday, April 25th, at 3 p.m. Speaker, Capt. S. Walker, V.C., of Ballarat.

WOOL SALES.

The Commonwealth Wool & Produce Co. Ltd. report (34/35)—The April series of Melbourne wool sales was opened to-day, when we offered a catalogue of 2,123 bales. The selection was an average to good one. The wools were drawn principally from Gippsland and the central districts...

BEAUFORT C.Y.M.S. ENTERTAINS STREATHAM BRANCH.

On Monday evening last, two teams, representing the Streatham branch of the C.Y.M.S., visited Beaufort to meet in debate two teams from the local branch. The Streatham teams were accompanied by Rev. Fathers Daly and Sproule, and about thirty more friends...

RETURNED SOLDIERS' LEAGUE.

The committee of the Ripon sub-branch of the Returned Soldiers' League held their monthly meeting at the Shire Hall, Beaufort, on Saturday night. Mr. C. H. McKay (president) was in the chair, and 12 members were present.

RIPONSHIRE COUNCIL.

MONDAY, APRIL 8th, 1935. Present—Crs. C. H. McKay (president), R. A. D. Sinclair, D. F. Troy, D. Stewart, J. Kirkpatrick, T. Wills, P. Russell, and A. C. Roddis. The minutes of the previous meeting, as typewritten and circulated, were taken as read and confirmed.

C.W.A. YOUNGER SET.

The Beaufort C.W.A. Younger Set opened the dancing with their annual ball in the Picture Theatre on Wednesday evening. There was a record attendance, and excellent floor, music, and supper, combined with many novel dances, to make a very enjoyable evening.

BEAUFORT A.W.N.L.

The Beaufort branch, A.W.N.L., held its annual meeting in the Mechanics' Institute on Tuesday afternoon, and there was a large attendance of members.

COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK

D. R. Hannah & Co. report.—Cattle: 8 steers and cows, Messrs. Mulcahy Bros., Lake Goldsmith, steers to 27/15, cows, to 28; a bull, same owner; 2 cows, Mr. L. Lindsay, Wendouree. Calves: 6 from Ascot. Sheep: 90 merino wethers from Skipton; 65 comeback wethers from Ballarat, to 15/6; 34 comeback ewes, Mr. M. Welsh, Raglan, to 14/10; 35 comeback ewes and wethers, Mr. R. Dawson, Trawalla, ewes at 10/10, wethers at 13/4; 20 ewes from Skipton, to 13/6.

BEAUFORT C.Y.M.S.

The monthly meeting of the C.Y.M.S. was held at the Mechanics' Institute on Monday evening; Mr. R. McCormick (president) in the chair, and Rev. Father Mulcahy and Mr. Briggs (from Ararat) and 25 members present. Messrs. M. McNerny, N. Dromey, and L. McCormick were nominated for membership. Accounts amounting to £19/10/0 were passed for payment. The secretary reported a Cr. balance of £12/18/8. Mr. D. Lynch reported on the picnic held at Lake Bolac on 17th March, which was most successful.

BEAUFORT B.N. HOSPITAL.

There was an attendance of 12 members at the monthly meeting of the Beaufort Bush Nursing Hospital committee, held at the Shire Hall on Monday night; Mr. Robt. Beggs (president) occupying the chair. Apologies were received for the absence of the secretary (Mr. P. T. Stevenson) and Miss Cushing. Mr. McKay reported that Mr. Saph said it was a great honor to be asked to take a position on the committee, but he was unable to accept it.

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their clients being anxious for them to proceed further in the matter.—In answer to Cr. Wills, the president said he understood that Mr Broadbent was not instructed to go into the property. The matter was further discussed in committee at some length. Mr Acton read the officers' report in regard to access to gravel deposits generally. The solicitors are to be replied to giving the information asked for, on motion of Crs. Stewart and Roddis.

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council would not wholly undertake the work of making an asphalt footpath from the entrance to the post-office to the entrance gate of the official quarters, to advise him as to what percentage of the cost the council would be prepared to bear.—Cr. Sinclair — Mr Mackay's suggestion should be carried out. He moved that the council do the work on a 50-50 basis, under the supervision of the engineer. Seconded by Cr. Troy, and carried.

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SHIRE OF RIPON.

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### RIPON SHIRE COUNCIL.

(Continued from Page 5.)

—Referred to West riding members, on motion of Crs. Kirkpatrick and Roddis. Cr. Wills — They were terrors about Beaufort to want poundage fees refunded.

From Dr. S. E. Humphreys reporting a case of an infectious disease at Burrumbeet.—Received.

From H. C. Williams, Beaufort, applying for registration of slaughteryards, situated about two miles out on Waterloo road.—The president—The matter had been fixed up. Cr. Sinclair said Mr Williams did not know he had to apply to the council, and was very sorry.

From N. Stokes, Gerang, stating that he was unable to pay 30/ a month, but would pay at the rate of 10/ per month, and forwarded that amount.—Received.

From K. W. Lewis, Raglan, thanking council for permission given to bank back creek, enabling a pool to be made in which the children could learn to swim and dive; and stating that if an inspection could be made by Mr Crouch while the present bank held, perhaps they could find out to what extent they could go next season.—Cr. Troy moved that the engineer report. Seconded by Cr. Sinclair, and carried.

From Arthur Beggs, Niau-wanda, Beaufort, asking permission to place a netting fence from each side of the stone bridge on Ararat—Geelong road, near Cross Roads saleyards to his own netted fence; also drawing attention to all culverts around his property being harbors for rabbits.—First portion of letter to lie on table for a month, on the motion of Cr. Sinclair; and the portion in regard to rabbits to be referred to the West riding members. Cr. Stewart — The engineer should

put in pipe culverts wherever he could.

From I. Lowe, secretary of the Beaufort Football Club, applying for use of Beaufort Park for coming football season, from 4th May. — Granted, under usual conditions, on motion of Crs. Stewart and Kirkpatrick; the charge to be 10/ for each match.

A similar letter was read from J. B. Hewitt, secretary C.Y.M.S. Football Club, Beaufort.—Granted, on motion of Crs. Stewart and Kirkpatrick; 10/ to be charged for each match.

Alluding to a report by the health inspector, Cr. Sinclair said the gutters were being attended to by the sustenance men.

Annual report of Ballarat Fish Acclimatisation Society. — Received.

From McKay & Hodgetts, Eurambeen East, stating that they were erecting a new line of fencing, and applied for permission to encroach on Streatham—Eurambeen road, from approximately five chains on the north side of the creek, opposite Mr Arthur Beggs' Niau-wanda Estate, to two chains from Niau-wanda bridge, and on the south side from a corresponding position on the creek, to a point 10 chains on the correct line. The granting of the request would not in any way interfere with watering of stock at the creek.—To lie on table for a month, on motion of Crs. Sinclair and Roddis.

Departmental letter, asking for a confidential report on claim for flood damages.—Referred to North riding members.

General Business.

Cr. Troy — The name plates on the Beaufort honor avenue should be painted. The word "danger" should be painted on the bitumen some distance on each side of the dangerous crossing in Neill and Lawrence streets, Beaufort. He suggested that both

matters be referred to the North riding members.

This was agreed to.

Cr. Kirkpatrick — The Stockyard Hill honor avenue needed attention. The engineer—The treeguards should be removed.

Cr. Russell — Commander Mackenzie asked for a space of 10 ft. x 8 ft. in the shire yard for Bush Fire Brigade equipment.

Cr. Troy moved that the matter be referred to the engineer. Seconded by Cr. Stewart, and carried.

Cr. Roddis drew attention to the dilapidated state of the police property fence at Snake Valley.

Cr. Troy—Is it as good as Beaufort, do you think?

Cr. Roddis — No. The tenant was told by the Department that no money was available. He moved that the attention of the Public Works Department be called to the matter. Seconded by Cr. Russell, and carried.

Cr. Russell — A small footbridge near Carngham township needed the decking repaired. He asked the engineer to inspect. Had anything been done in regard to the dangerous gutter running north from the Carngham recreation reserve?

The engineer — Not yet.

Cr. Kirkpatrick — There were some big holes in the Stoneleigh road, going towards Meadows' lane that, should be attended to.

Cr. Stewart—Some places on the road past Mr Murray Exell's at Stockyard Hill required attention. The engineer informed Cr. Stewart that the scoria pit had been attended to.

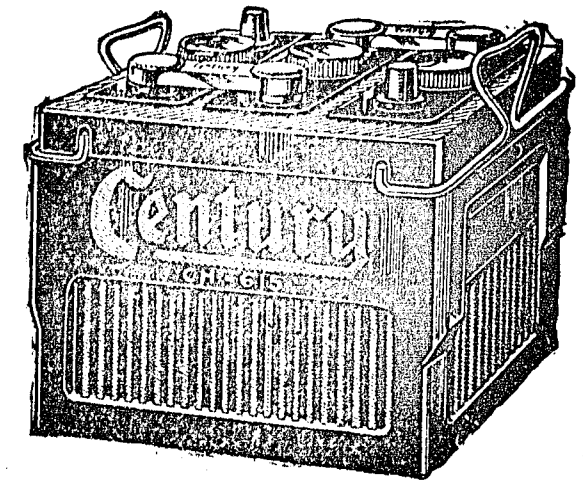
In answer to Cr. Roddis, the engineer said he had received a complaint about a mining lease at Snake Valley.

Cr. Wills said a pipe was required in the culvert at Turnbull's road, and the road required draining. On the Lake Goldsmith road the danger post at Cushing's should be shifted 50 yds. south. The maintenance material along that road should be spread.

The engineer — The spreading should be started within the next month.

The engineer, in reply to a question from Cr. Roddis, said that no provision was made for McCook's road.

Cr. Roddis — He would like the engineer to make a report at next meeting.



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Ballarat to Ararat train — Leaves Beaufort, 7.10 p.m. daily.

Ararat to Melbourne train—Leaves Beaufort at 9.20 a.m., on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

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### SWIMMING CLUB.

#### DEPUTATION WAITS ON SHIRE COUNCIL.

Standing orders were suspended at the Ripon Shire Council on Monday, when Messrs. W. J. Bruce Johnson and J. Bowe attended as a deputation from the Beaufort Swimming Club, and were introduced by Cr. Sinclair.

Mr Johnson said that the club was endeavoring to improve the baths, and the baths had advanced under their control. They had refunded the council's previous guarantee, with the exception of £5, and had expended an additional £12 on improvements since. The shallow end of the pool was where the sediment was stirred up. The proposal was to put a permanent wall over the baths at 55 yds., and concrete the bottom and three walls of the shallow end. They also proposed to deepen the pool on the deep side of the wall for a better turning place for swimmers. The cost would be about £70. They asked the council to guarantee the money, and the club would go straight ahead with a drive, and carry on the work. The club would refund the money as soon as it could be raised. He described the many improvements made by the club to the baths. They had converted the baths into a decent pool. They thought it would be worth the sustenance men could be employed on, and the club would employ a supervisor.

Cr. Sinclair—Would it not be better to make a drive first?

Mr Johnson—The work had to be done in the winter, and while the work was in progress the club could be raising the money.

In answer to Cr. Sinclair, Mr Johnson said there was no suggestion of personal responsibility by those at the meeting. They expected anyone who could afford to do so, to pay 2/6 a year membership fee. A number who used the baths did not pay.

In answer to Cr. Troy, Mr Johnson said the membership fees amounted to £14.

Mr Bowe spoke in support.

The president (Cr. McKay)—They had no doubt about the earnestness and enthusiasm of the club, but their finances were as low as the club's. They would discuss the matter, and let them know the result.

Cr. Troy—They were lucky in having an energetic and live association like the Swimming Club, and should try and support it.

The president—He agreed with Cr. Troy. The international swimmers

### NEW BEAUFORT TALKIES.

complimented them on the baths, and the secretary of the V.A.S.A. suggested improvements. If they could help the club, so much the better.

Cr. Russell — He was in favor of what the club had asked for being granted. If the club kept on improving the baths, the council should support them. They were doing a public duty if they only taught children to swim.

Cr. Sinclair spoke in a similar strain. He would support the proposal, providing it was put on a businesslike footing.

Crs. Kirkpatrick and Stewart expressed themselves as in accord with the proposal.

Cr. Roddis—They should support it, but everyone who used the baths should be made to pay a subscription to the club.

Cr. Wills endorsed what Cr. Roddis had said.

Cr. Sinclair suggested that a North riding member be the committee of the Swimming Club, to see that they carried out the proposal in a businesslike way.

Cr. Stewart moved that the money necessary be advanced, that a North riding member be placed on the committee of the club, and that the North riding members go into details. Seconded by Cr. Roddis, and carried.

HOST HOLBROOK says: Cocktail parties are the vogue just now. Holbrooks' Manzanilla Olives are correct for the cocktail.

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ENGINEER'S REPORT.

The following report by the engineer (Mr E. S. Crouch, C.E., L.S.) was dealt with at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday:

1. Application by R. G. Burgess, Esq., to fence portion of road.—The proposal affects portion of the Eurambeen—Streatham and Geelong roads, at what is known as "The Cross Roads," and has been indicated to me on the ground. A creek bed lying between the property of the applicant and the made portion of the roads would be included with the fencing of the property. It is recommended that no objection be raised to the proposal.

Clause 1—Permission granted, on action of Crs. Roddie and Kirkpatrick.

2. Application of T. H. W. Broadbent, Esq., deceased, to lease road.—As indicated verbally, following my report of last meeting, it is desired to continue with this application. The road is unmade and not required for traffic, and it is recommended that no objection be offered to the lease applied for.

Clause 2—Cr. Sinclair moved that the application be granted. Seconded by Cr. Kirkpatrick, and carried.

3. Fencing of Stewart Park, Skipton.—About seven chains of fencing with concrete posts and a pipe railing is estimated could be effected for a cost of £30. If, however, only that portion adjoining the roadway is to be so done, and the balance left open, as in ——— Park immediately opposite, a cost of £12 is estimated would suffice.

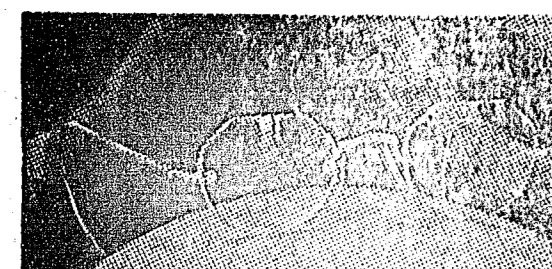
Clause 3—Cr. Wills.—The west riding seemed to be a sort of co-operative society. (Laughter). It was decided to expend £12 on the scheme suggested for a start, on the motion of Crs. Wills and Roddis; the seconder stating, that if the other was required later on, he would support it.

The engineer (Mr E. S. Crouch) reported as follows, in regard to progress of works:—Country Roads Board Works—Ballarat — Ararat Road, 141M/125—Day work; survey and design re-alignment at 99 M post. Skipton road—Day work. 141M/125—Patrol work; also re-alignment 10 1/2 miles (Murray's spring). Ballarat—Hamilton road—Day work. 141M/125—Patrol maintenance.

Shire Works—Wills' road—D. A. Carmichael, 17/38; date let, March; date completion, 8 weeks; amount, £45/10/; amount passed, £54; maintenance period, work complete. Wills' road — Broadbent Bros.; 22/34; let August; amount, £47/19/; amount passed, £45; finished. Beaufort—Carranballac road—A.H. Nunn, 1/35; date let, October; specified date, 8 weeks; total, £59/10/; amount passed to date, £63/18/2; completed. Eurambeen—Streatham — Whitfield Bros., 2/35; let November; date of completion, 6 weeks; amount of contract, £63; amount

passed, £50; maintenance heaps only to finish. Eurambeen—Streatham—Broadbent Bros., 3/35; let December; date of completion, 8 weeks; amount, £86/2/4; amount passed, £75; work finished. Eurambeen — Streatham—Whitfield Bros., 4/35; let December; date completion, 10 weeks; amount, £74; amount passed, £50; maintenance heaps to finish. Dooley's road—W. Cheeseman, 5/35; let December; date of completion, 10 weeks; amount contract, £41/5/; amount passed, £55/16/5; completed. Stockyard Hill road—W. H. Williams, 7/35; date let, January; date completion, 4 weeks; amount contract, £48/5/; start should be made. Carngham — Stockyard Hill—Broadbent Bros., 8/35; let Feb.; date of completion, 8 weeks; amount contract, £25/6/; amount passed, £26/6/; completed. Stockyard Hill road—Broadbent Bros., 7/35; let Feb.; date completion, 10 weeks; amount contract, £98/10/8; start should be made. Beaufort—Carngham and Carngham — Stockyard Hill roads—C. E. Brown, 10/35; let Feb.; date completion, 8 weeks; amount contract, £104/7/6; amount passed, £90; work finished. Wongan and Mt. William roads—Broadbent Bros., 11/35; let Feb.; date completion, 8 weeks; amount, £71/6/8; amount passed, £75; waiting clearance, work finished. Mortchup—Mt. Emu — A.H. Nunn, 12/35; date let, Feb.; date completion, 6 weeks; amount contract, £45/10/; amount passed, £40; work finished. Trawalla and east roads—Whitfield Bros., 15/35; let March; date completion, 6 weeks; amount contract, £80; starting one week's time. Various roads (East)—A.H. Nunn, 14/35; date let, March; date completion, 6 weeks; amount, £79; amount passed, £40; in progress. Various roads (East)—A.H. Nunn, 15/35; date let, March; date completion, 6 weeks; amount, £39 7/6; to be done with 14/35, in progress.

Chief shire works other than contract—Trawalla road—Scarifying, re-shaping, and gravelling approaches Pascoe's bridge. Ballarat—Carngham—Construction of culvert, offset drains, and tabling, near Carngham P.O. Beaufort depot—Erection of wood building from Beaufort Park, and incidental re-arrangement to yard. Shire Hall and Park residence — Painting work. Chute—Raglan and Beaufort — Raglan—Attention tabling and insertion of culvert. Back Raglan road — Replacement of culvert with concrete walls and decking. Various roads, chiefly West riding—Maintenance grading. Frog Hollow—Dooley's.—Forming newly-opened road. Cheeseman's road — Patrol work, and replacement with larger pipe culvert at Flannery's road corner. Carngham—Stockyard Hill road—Patching south of Lake Goldsmith; works here suspended temporarily. Geelong road—Gravelling and re-forming at the one-mile west of Cross Roads, and tabling easterly. Beaufort—Carngham road —Scarifying and re-shaping and gravelling, W. of Bignall's bridge. North and South road—Re-forming in preparation for gravel. Riley's road—Gravelling on new formations. Road south from Burdett's — Gravelling on new formations. Skipton township—Repairs to bridge and approach at swimming pool, and various patrol works.—Adopted.



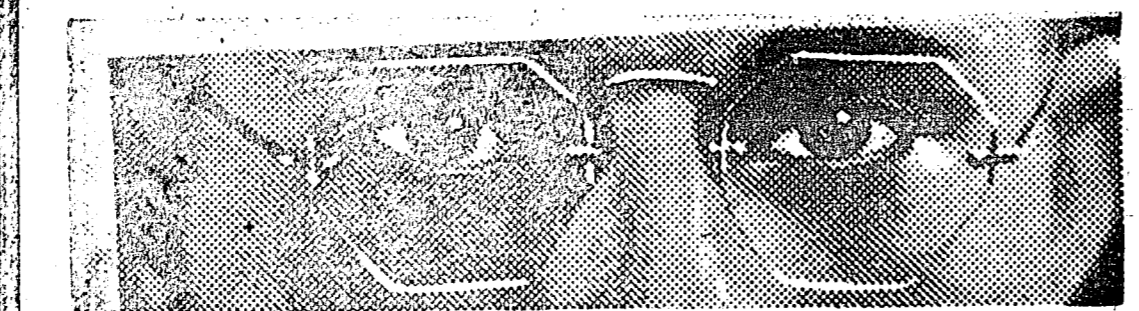
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CRICKET.

WATERLOO CLUB CELEBRATES WINNING OF RIPON PREMIERSHIP.

About 40 members and supporters of the Waterloo Cricket Club and representatives of sister clubs of the Ripon Association gathered on Saturday night at the Waterloo Mechanics' Hall, when the winning of the premiership by the local team was celebrated at a banquet. Mr Geo. Boyd (president) officiated as chairman. A very tasty repast had been provided by the Waterloo ladies, and the tables were tastefully decorated with blue and white flowers. The following ladies waited at the tables, and assisted in preparing the meal:—Mesdames C. M. Flynn, Kay, A. Laney, Lamb, Vowles, Rutherford, Ryan, J. Laney, Finch, R. Gardiner, and Misses Joyce Laney, Alma Gardner, Belle Kay, and Vera Lamb.

After the loyal toast had been honored, Mr H. V. Martin proposed "The Premier Team." He said he realised that the Waterloo boys thoroughly deserved their win. It was 11 years since the formation of the association, and he had played against Waterloo every year. Had it not been for the games between Waterloo and Beaufort, the association would have lacked a lot of interest. Whether it was a final, semi-final, or ordinary match, Beaufort always took their coats off to Waterloo, and whenever they were beaten, it was with their best side. For that reason, and because of the many sporting games he had had against Waterloo, he was pleased to propose the toast. The last match was exceptional for the way in which the fortunes fluctuated. Brilliant play on the part of Waterloo at the last moment snatched victory from Beaufort's grasp. Prior to that, he felt Beaufort had the match in its pocket.

Mr T. Ryan, secretary and captain of Waterloo, responded. He remarked that he very much appreciated the words of Mr Martin, and trusted that he would be able to make as good a job of his speech on the same occasion next year. (Laughter). The matches with Beaufort had been really ding-dong ones. Waterloo was delighted with having won the premiership; it being the first occasion on which they had secured the premiership against such a team as Beaufort. They had not won it hands down. They were the luckiest team in the world to win, as the odds were 100 to 1 against. They had had a very successful season, thanks to

the splendid manner in which the Waterloo boys had pulled together. They had great supporters in Messrs. C. M. Flynn (the veteran of the player) and W. Kay, who had rendered splendid service in running their cars every Saturday. Had it not been for these two gentlemen, Waterloo would not have been able to field so strong a team. Great credit was due to the others for the way they had stuck to the game.

"The Ripon Association" was proposed by Mr C. M. Flynn, who said that during the past 11 years the cricketers of the district had been catered for by the association in a very excellent manner. Different circumstances had been provided for, and the delegates had tried to make the chances as equal as possible. The season had ended differently each time. Right up to the finish, the six teams had been playing cricket. The association had arranged the competition for the cricketers, as a whole and not for one or two teams. This year's arrangements could well be continued next season. No association could be carried on without good officers, and in this respect they were very fortunate. There was no more enthusiastic worker for cricket than Mr H. V. Martin, the secretary of the association. He would like to have seen the association more successful in the Ballarat country week competition, but had it not been for Mr Martin, their performance would not have been so good. The association had not been able to field its full strength in Ballarat, but some of the players Mr Martin would like to see in Ballarat would not exert themselves to get there. He would like to see a little more enthusiasm among the players in regard to country week. With this regard to country week, Mr Martin, and T. Ryan, members of the sub-committee of the association.

Mr R. C. Hodgetts (president of the association), in response, thanked the Waterloo Club for the courteous invitation to be present. He in his present intention to give up their meritorious victory in the final. With Mr Ryan he had thought it a foregone conclusion that Beaufort would win. Cricket was such an extraordinary game that it was unwise to have a pre-conceived idea as to how a match would finish. A brief response.

The banquet was followed by an enjoyable dance. Mr E. Wilson was the musician, and Mr W. Kay the M.C. A tasty supper was provided. Mr H. C. Bennett acted as ticket collector, and Mr T. Ryan as secretary.

Mr R. C. Hodgetts (president of the association) and leader at Waterloo (Mr Ryan) would not persist in his present intention to give up those positions. Mr Hodgetts proposed the health of the chairman, and congratulated Mr Boyd on the satisfactory way in which he had conducted this gathering, and also referred to him as a valuable citizen. Mr Boyd made a brief response. The banquet was followed by an enjoyable dance. Mr E. Wilson was the musician, and Mr W. Kay the M.C. A tasty supper was provided. Mr H. C. Bennett acted as ticket collector, and Mr T. Ryan as secretary.

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### TENNIS.

#### BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION.

##### TRAWALLA WINS THE SHIELD.

A keenly-contested final match was commenced at the Trawalla tennis courts on Saturday afternoon, 6th inst. between Trawalla A and Beaufort, Methodist A for the premiership of the Beaufort District Association. The umpires were Messrs. McNeill, J. Hutton, and H. Dunn.

The last rubber was not finished on the Saturday, owing to the failing light, and it was decided to conclude it on the Monday afternoon, with the result that Trawalla won the shield a third time, and became its possessor for all time. Afternoon tea was provided by the Trawalla ladies. Results (Trawalla A players mentioned first):—

Mrs Vowles and Miss Foreman lost to Miss E. Morvell and Mrs French, 1-6, 4-6.

L. H. Tolliday and E. Vowles d. M. Cuthbertson and P. McCallum, 6-4, 6-2.

Pateman and Mrs E. Vowles d. D. Laney and Mrs French, 6-4, 6-4, 4-6.

Tolliday and Miss Foreman d. Cuthbertson and P. McCallum, 6-2, 6-1.

Bengtsson and Pateman d. Laney and K. Hyde, 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.

Mrs Fisher and Miss Tolliday lost to Miss Hobson and Mrs Federick, 2-6, 3-6, 2-6.

Bengtsson and Mrs Fisher lost to Hyde and Mrs Federick, 5-6, 1-6.

Vowles and Miss Tolliday d. McCallum and Miss Morvell, 6-4, 6-4.

Totals:—Trawalla A, 5 rubbers, 11 sets, 88 games; Methodist A, 3 rubbers, 8 sets, 81 games.

### LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY.

#### THE ANNUAL MEETING.

Keen interest in the Beaufort Literary and Debating Society was manifest on Tuesday night, 9th inst., when the annual meeting was held at the Beaufort Mechanics' Institute, and was attended by 20 members; Dr. S. E. Humphreys (president) presiding. Apologies were received for the absence of Messrs. J. B. Roderick and J. F. Wotherspoon.

Correspondence was received in regard to this year's series of three University Extension lectures.

The secretary (Mr J. R. Joyce) presented the fourth annual report, which dealt comprehensively with the activities of the society during the past year, and stated that 14 meetings had been held; the average attendance being 81.3 per cent.

In moving the adoption of the report, the president said the interest in the society was increasing and not waning in the slightest. Seconded by Mr T. C. Beggs, and carried.

The balance-sheet for the 12 months showed that receipts were £25/13/10 and expenditure £23/5/2, leaving a credit balance of £2/8/8.—Adopted, on the motion of Messrs. R. C. Hodgetts and G. Ellis.

In vacating the chair, Dr. Humphreys thanked the members for the support given the club and himself,

acknowledged the assistance rendered by the committee and sub-committees, and said he wished sincerely and honestly to retire after a happy three years of office.

Dr. Humphreys was unanimously re-elected president, and the remaining officers were appointed as follows:—Vice-presidents, Messrs. R. C. Hodgetts and A. R. Beggs; secretary and treasurer, Mr J. R. Joyce (who was complimented upon his excellent past services); committee, Messrs. W. V. C. Jenkin, G. Morris, and W. W. Ashley; syllabus committee, Messrs. Jenkin and Hodgetts.

On the motion of Messrs. Ellis and R. G. Scott, it was decided to continue the University Extension lectures.

One new member was admitted, and another placed on the waiting list.

Mr Hodgetts moved that a lecture on the Douglas Credit System be held, on a date in August, to be fixed, open to the public, and admission to be charged. Seconded by Mr A. R. Beggs, and carried.

Mr Joyce mentioned that the April 23rd syllabus item would be impromptu speeches.

It was decided that members pay the fees for the University Extension lectures with their subscriptions at the beginning of the year.

Rev. A. Talbot and Mr Jenkin were appointed as a committee of criticism, and Mr H. V. Martin as timekeeper.

It was decided to have four outside adjudicators, and five from inside the club.

It was arranged to hold the annual dinner a fortnight after the end of the session; the form of entertainment to be left in the hands of the sub-committee.

Mr H. Hodder was appointed chairman for next meeting by the president.

### WOOL SALES.

At the Geelong wool sales on Thursday, 11th inst., Langi-Kal-Kal (Trawalla), sup. made 17d, aa 16½d; Mawallok (Beaufort), sup. h. 16½d; W/R (Trawalla), fce. 11d; JLF/McK (Middle Creek), aa, 16d; JTM/Trawalla, aa com. 15½d; WL/Ruradene (Beaufort), 1st aa 15½d.

#### Waterloo Sports Club.

A meeting of the Waterloo Sports Club was held at the Mechanics' Institute on Monday, 8th April, 1935. Mr Geo. Boyd (vice-president) occupied the chair, and 10 members were present. The secretary (Mr W. A. Skene) reported that the booths had been sold as follows:—Publican's booth, Mr R. Taylor, Ballarat, £5 10s; fruit, lollies, soft drinks, and luncheon, Mr J. Irwin, £3/15s. It was decided to insure against rain on sports day. The secretary reported that he had received good entries for all events. The following teams have promised to compete in the tug-of-war:—Langi-Kal-Kal, Raglan, Lake Goldsmith, Middle Creek, Waterloo, and two teams from Beaufort. Mr Ted Drew's tender of 3/3 per messmate log, was accepted by the tender committee. A working bee was arranged for Good Friday.

### SURPRISE PARTY.

(Contributed).

Mrs. Charles W. Iron, of Beaufort received a very great surprise on Thursday evening, 4th April, when quite a large number of her relatives and friends gathered at her home to wish her many happy returns on her 72nd birthday. The guest was quite unaware that the visit had been arranged, and when a knock at the door was heard at 8 o'clock she admitted no less than 15 visitors. A most enjoyable evening followed, as many beautiful songs were rendered by the visitors. Games were played, and much fun was experienced throughout the evening. The programme commenced with the Lord's Prayer, and wound up with the National Anthem and "Auld Lang Syne." Those present were Mrs. Woodall (daughter), Constable Waldron (son), Miss L. Waldron (daughter), R. A. Woodall, W. H. Waldron, and Mrs. Waldron (of Carranballee), Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brown, Mrs. C. and Misses E. and R. Morvell, Misses Grace and Betty Brown, Laurel Woodall, Florrie Waldron, Rev. W. F. Federick, Misses M. and S. Jackson, Mrs. and Miss Manson, Mr. Roy Dunn, and Audrey Anderson. Vocal items were rendered by Mrs. Woodall, "Mother Machree"; Mr. H. T. Brown, "My Prayer"; Miss S. Jackson and Mr. H. T. Brown, duet. Constable Waldron recited; Mr. R. A. Woodall, song, "On the Banks of the Wabash." Several choruses by the young folk and old-time songs by the older folk were also rendered. An amusing item, "A Silent Election Speech," was rendered by Rev. W. F. Federick. It caused great amusement, and was one of the best items for the night. Many beautiful gifts were presented to Mrs. Waldron by her relatives present, and at supper time the Rev. A. W. Federick made a presentation to Mrs. Waldron on behalf of the Collier and Muntz won by 16 to 12. The winners had a handicap of 1, and the losers played off scratch.

### BOWLS.

The final in the pairs competition for silver spoons among members of the Beaufort Bowling Club was played between Cuthbertson and C. T. Dowling and H. O. Collier and E. J. Muntz, with the result that the Collier and Muntz won by 16 to 12. The winners had a handicap of 1, and the losers played off scratch.

## BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB REPORTS.

Your Committee has pleasure in presenting its ANNUAL REPORT and STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS for year ended 31/3/35.

The members have exhibited great enthusiasm in matches and the general affairs of the Club, and the revenue has been maintained. The services of Miss Oddie (Associate President) and Mr. V. Jenkin as scorer have been much appreciated. We congratulate the winners of the Club Championship (Mr. M. E. L. Watkin) and the Associate Championship (Miss Athole Stewart).

Teams from the Club competed in the Campbell Cup (men), Victorian Golf Association District Pennant (Associates' A team), Forbes-Gummow Cup (Associates' B team), and performed well.

Gifts of a Pavilion Clock by Mr. P. Lewis, Concrete Tee Boxes and Club Flag Pole by Mr. R. B. White, and Linen by Mr. A. Barber have been thankfully received. We again thank the donors of trophies for Club competitions and for the Annual Tournament.

The entries for the Annual Tournament were excellent, and the standard of competitors was higher than previously, and several prominent visitors expressed their intention of returning here for next Tournament and bringing other back markers.


During the summer work on the course was continued in accordance with a fixed scheme, and the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 11th, and 14th holes have been improved.

The Victorian Golf Association has decided that from 1st January, 1935, no member of a Club shall be eligible to compete in open competition unless he has been allotted a handicap based on the "Standard Scratch Score" of his own course. Our course has been fixed by the Association at 69, and a record of the performances of our leading players up to June will be sent to the Association, so that necessary adjustments may be made.

N. H. ODDIE, President.  
SAMUEL YOUNG, Hon. Secretary.

During the past season the Associates, who number 30, continued the usual Wednesday programme and competed in the V.L.G.U. pennant matches, Forbes-Gummow Cup, silver spoon competition, and Ben Nevis Cup. We thank the following ladies who donated trophies during the season:—Miss Oddie, Mesdames Crouch, Hodgetts, Kelly, Halpin, McKay, Misses Nickols and Lewis. We also thank the ladies who donated golf balls. Our congratulations are extended to Miss A. Stewart, the winner of championship; Mrs. Day, winner of Ben Nevis Cup, also Miss Oddie's trophy for 6 best net scores; Miss Norman, winner of V.L.G.U. silver spoon; and the junior pennant team, winners of the Forbes-Gummow Cup. The Associates donated £11/1/6 for a trophy for the annual tournament. Our thanks are due to Gala for allowing our members the use of their links for practice; also for the hospitality which was extended to us by Chalambur Associates. We thank all members for their kind and willing assistance.—President, M. ODDIE. Hon. Sec. ADA L. NORMAN.

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### FIRE BRIGADE SOCIAL CLUB.

The Beaufort Fire Brigade Ladies' Social Club held a card evening on Tuesday, Messdams, Sapp and Duke being the organizers. The euchre tournament was won by Mr G. Wilson and Miss Connie Scivon. The consolation prizes were secured by Mr Albert Loney and Sister S. Willis.

**BEAUFORT A.N.A.** On Tuesday night the fortnightly meeting of the Beaufort branch, A.N.A. was held in the Mechanics' Institute. Mr J. E. Pearce presided, and accounts amounting to £10/6/8 were passed for payment. A credit balance of £27/9/4 was reported by the treasurer. Chief president Tooby will visit the Beaufort branch on Thursday, May 16th.

**SHOOTING CHALLENGE.** A challenge that is creating a great deal of interest throughout the district has been received from three Skipton shooters, offering to contest a day in the field with three locals, for a substantial wager. The game will be quick. Final arrangements will be made over the week-end. The challenge has been accepted, and Messrs. J. Ellis and J. Dalgliesh have already been chosen as two of the representatives. Probably W. or F. Ellis will complete the team.

**BEAUFORT JOCKEY CLUB.** On Monday night seven members of the Beaufort Jockey Club attended a meeting held in the Picture Theatre. The chair was occupied by the president (Mr J. T. Glover), and the secretary presented the financial statement of the recent race meeting, which showed receipts amounting to £50/12/6 and expenditure to £54/11/11. The loss on the meeting was £44, compared with £28 on the previous races. Accounts amounting to £32/14/11 were passed for payment, on the motion of Messrs. H. McCracken and W. Ellis.

**CYCLING CARNIVAL, Easter Monday.**

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### COMMERCIAL.

#### BALLARAT LIVE STOCK

Tuesday. Messrs. D. R. Hannah & Co. report;—Cattle—3 cows and heifers from Ascot; 5 cows, Mr W. Frank, Ballarat; 5 cows from Burnumbeet; 1 cow, Mr E. Lester, Ascot; 1 cow, Mr J. Tuddenham, Ross' Creek. Calves—6, Mr W. Frank, Ballarat; 3, Mr E. Lester, Ascot; to £2/12/6. 3, Mr W. W. White, Cardigan; to £2/1. Sheep—103 merino wethers from Trawalla; 43 comeback wethers, Mr W. S. Cough, Lexton; to 20, averaging 15/2; 35 comeback wethers, Mr John Ellis, Brewster, 11/7 to 15/4, averaging 18/9; 34 comeback ewes, Mr R. Dawson, Trawalla; to 15/7; 32 merino wethers, Mr Jas. G. Stevenson, Beaufort; Lambs—71 from Trawalla; 4, Mr Sam Boyle, Lake Goldsmith, at 19/4; 4, Mr R. Dawson, Trawalla.

Other district sales reported:—Two lambs, Mr L. McKay, Chpstone, 22/7; 104 merino wethers and ewes, Messrs. J. and J. Liston, Carranballe, wethers to 15/11, ewes 17/9; 96 merino wethers, Langi-Kal-Kal Pty. Ltd., Trawalla, 19/1 to 16/1, averaging 17/7; 56 crossbred two-tooths, Mr H. J. Smith, Stockyard Hill, 13/4 to 17/3; 6 lambs, same owner, 15/7; 85 lambs, Mr J. M. Power, Mena Park, 17/7 to 15/3, averaging 16/6.

**TEACHER TRANSFERRED.** Amongst teachers' nominated for transfers to advertised vacancies in the Education Department is Mr Granville W. Green to Lake Learmonth.

**SNAKE VALLEY C.W.A.** A successful home products display was held on the 13th inst. by the Snake Valley C.W.A. Among the visitors were Mrs R. G. Beggs (State president) and Miss Lewis (ex-president of the Beaufort group). Both ladies spoke briefly to the gathering.

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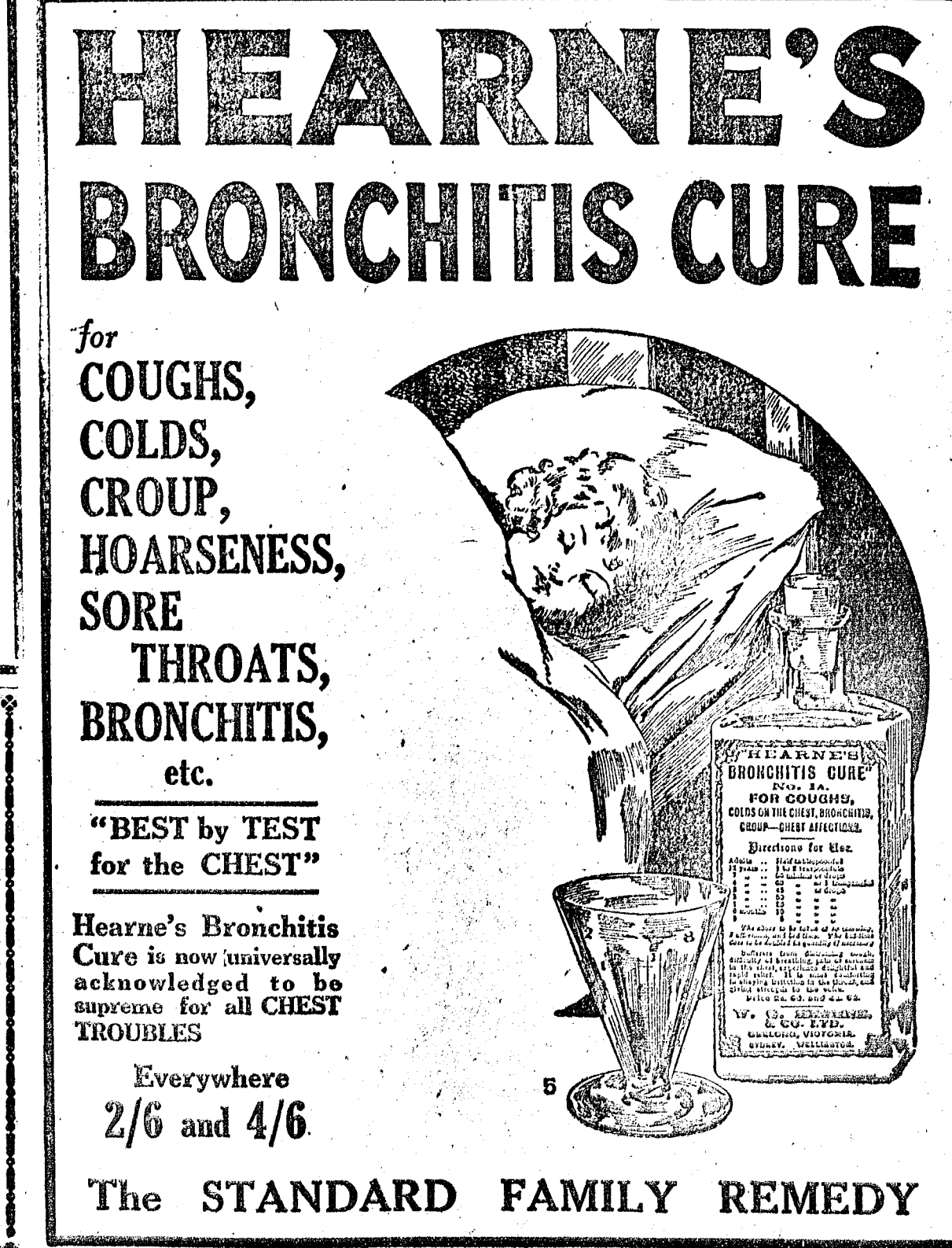
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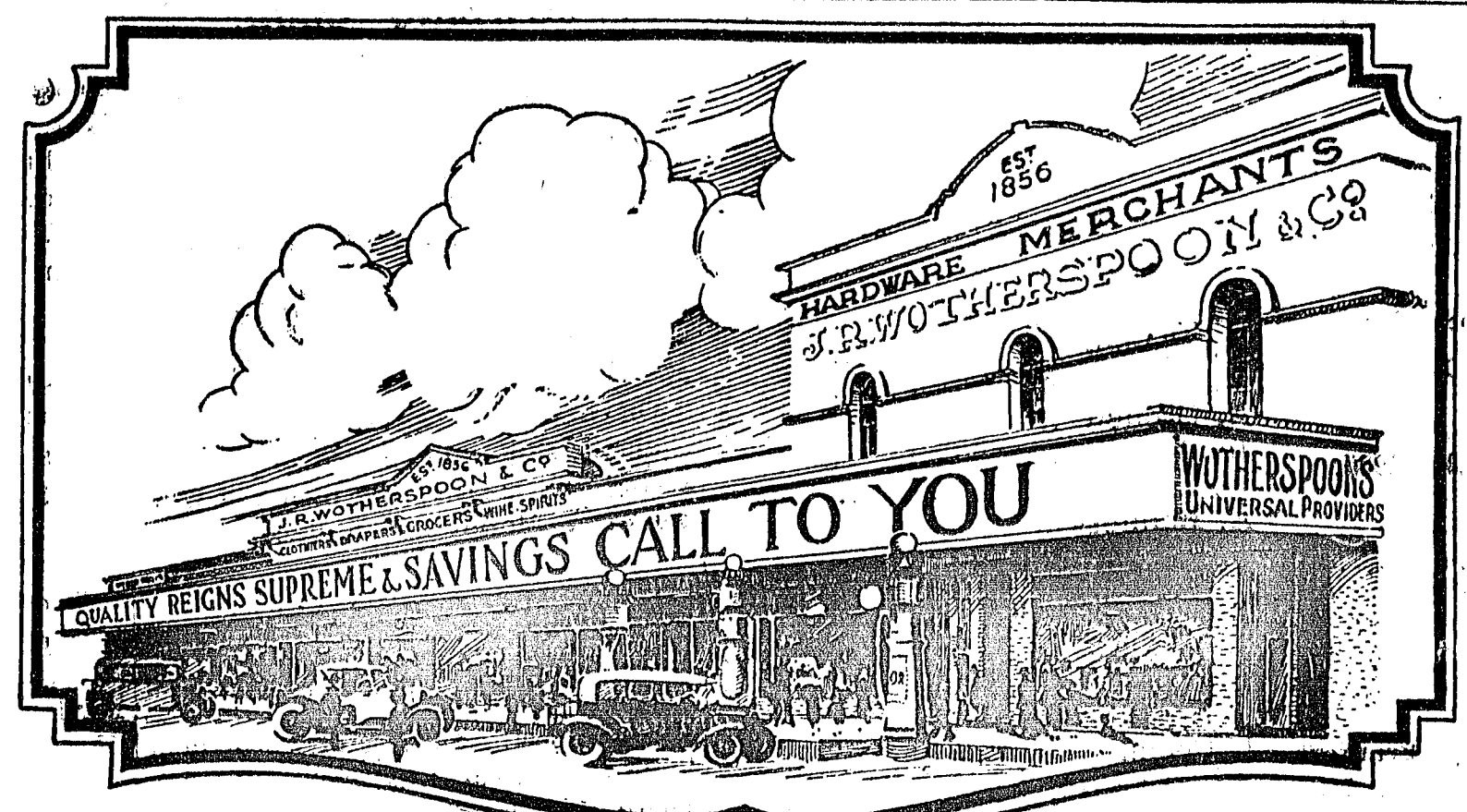
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### BUANGOR SPORTS. SUCCESSFUL GATHERING.

**ALTO'S CHOICE WINS A DOUBLE.** Although the weather was unpleasantly cold, there was a satisfactory attendance at the Buangor Sports Club's annual gathering, held at the local Recreation ground on Saturday afternoon. About 50 motor cars lined the arena, and the gate receipts totalled £11. The programme was an enjoyable and varied one of trotting, footracing, cycling, and novelty events, and a number of close and interesting finishes testified to the good judgment shown by the handicappers. The tracks were in excellent order. Mr. Edson conducted the affair, and ice-cream stalls, and the local ladies ran an afternoon tea booth. First-constable Felmingham was present as the representative of law and order; and beyond having to destroy a horse that was injured in a trotting event, had no unpleasant duties to perform. Messrs. J. P. Fay (president) and W. Murray, junr. (secretary) were at the head of a hardworking and enthusiastic team of officials, and both carried out their duties with credit to themselves and the club. Following is the complete list of officials:—President, Mr. J. P. Fay; secretary, Mr. W. Murray, junr.; stewards, Messrs. H. Dunn, H. K. Parker, D. McInnes, Joe Clough, H. McLeod, H. Hovey, J. E. Clough, A. MacRae, M. O'Brien, T. Edson, A. E. Neate, J. Robinson, J. K. and R. W. Pickford, W. Murray, senr., Judge, Mr. Smith. A couple of book-makers were present, and there was a good deal of betting on the local trots and the Melbourne races. There were also several shows on the ground.

L. Lockland won the Sheffield Handicap by a yard; J. Rush being second. The winner of the Sprint (W. Fitzpatrick) had only inches to spare at the finish; the second man being L. Lockland; The Mile Trot was a gift to P. Nunn's Alto's Choice; the winner finishing over a dozen lengths ahead of J. R. Smith's Blue Ribbon. Alto's Choice also won the Mile and W. Murray Trot by about two to three lengths; Blue Ribbon being second. The Consolation Trot (a mile and a quarter) furnished a very close finish, being won by J. R. Smith's Blue Ribbon by half-a-length, with W. Bailey's Bazil Bells second. In this event L. Welsh's Locust fell and injured its leg and had subsequently to be destroyed. A five-mile Bicycle Road Race was won by a length by C. Stewart; E. O'Brien being the second man. An enjoyable dance was held at night. Following are details of the various events:—

Boys' Race, under 14, 100 yds.—3/ 2/ and 1/—E. Robinson, 1; A. H. Murray, 2; P. Fay, 3. A close finish. Five starters.

Girls' Race, under 14, 75 yds.—3/ 2/ and 1/—F. McInnes, 1; L. Clough, 2; Gwenn Dunn, 3. Won by inches. Four starters.

Boys' Race, under 10, 75 yds.—3/ 2/ and 1/—Max. Torney, 1; Allan Torney, 2; Ian McInnes, 3. A good finish. Nine starters.

Girls' Race, under 10, 50 yds.—Doris McInnes, 1; Joan Parker, 2; Betty Clough, 3. A well-contested event. Seven starters.

Sheffield Handicap, 130 yds.—£3 and 2/—First heat—J. Rush, 144 yds., 1; F. Top, 124 yds., 2. Won by a yard and a half. Only starters. Second heat—J. Jess, 154 yds., 1; J. Byrne, 134 yds., 2. Won by less than a yard. Three starters. Third heat—L. Lockland, 134 yds., 1; G. Grant, 124 yds., 2. Won by half a yard. Two starters. Fourth heat—L. Lockland, 1; J. Rush, 2; J. Jess, 3. Won by a yard, with half a yard between second and third. Three starters.

Sprint Handicap, 75 yds.—£2 and 4/1.—First heat—L. Lockland, 82 yds., 1; J. Jess, 102 yds., 2. Won by half a yard. Four starters. Second heat—J. Rush, 94 yds., 1; G. Grant, 84 yds., 2. Won by over a yard. Three starters. Third heat—W. Fitzpatrick, 94 yds., 1; J. Byrne, 84 yds., 2. Won by a yard. Only starters. Final—W. Fitzpatrick, 1; L. Lockland, 2; J. Rush, 3. Won by six inches. Three starters.

Trot, 1 mile—£4 and 4/1.—P. Nunn's Alto's Choice, ser., 1; J. R. Smith's Blue Ribbon, ser., 2; A. Loft's Paddy Dillon, 20 yds. hhd., 3. Time, 2:40. Won easily by over a dozen lengths, with about a length between second and third. Nine starters. Locust and Flapper fell, but were not injured.

Trot, a mile and a half—£5 and trophy (to value of £2/10/), and £2.—P. Nunn's Alto's Choice, ser., 1; J. R. Smith's Blue Ribbon, ser., 2; L. Welsh's Locust, 20 yds. hhd., 3. Time, 3:54. Won by two to three lengths, with about the same distance separating second and third. Eight starters.

Consolation Trot, a mile and a quarter—£3 and 4/1.—J. R. Smith's Blue Ribbon, ser., 1; W. Bailey's Bazil Bells, 20 yds. hhd., 2; A. Loft's Paddy Dillon, 20 yds. hhd., 3. Time, 3:15. A close finish; won by half-a-length, with a couple of lengths between second and third. L. Welsh's Locust fell during the event, and receiving a fractured leg, had to be shot. Six starters.

Flag Race on Horseback—15/ and 5/.—M. O'Brien, 1; D. Matthews, 2. Six competitors.

Open Cycle Race, 5 miles—1st, open order value 30/; 2nd, trophy; fastest unplaced time, trophy.—C. Stewart, 60 sec., 1; E. O'Brien, 60 sec., 2; G. Anderson, 70 sec., 3. Time, 14:4. A length separated each of the placed men at the finish. Twelve starters.

Single Ladies' Race—Trophy.—Miss Aileen Jess, 1; Miss Hazel Baker, 2. Won by less than a yard. Ten starters.

Married Ladies' Race—Trophy.—Mrs. A. J. Felmingham, 1; Mrs. W. Torney, 2. Won by inches. Seven starters.

Bending Race—10/ and 5/—M. O'Brien, 1; Shalders, 2. Catching the Rooster (ladies)—Miss N. Dawson.

Guessing Weight of Fat Sheep.—E. Fay, G. Shalders, junr., and Sertori tied with 111 lb. each; the actual weight being 111½ lb.

Shed-tossing Competition—10/—E. Lenin, 1. Thirteen competitors.

Stepping the Distance—10/—J. K. Pickford, (76 ft. 11 in.); the actual distance being 76 ft. 3½ in.

Men's Nail-driving Competition—Trophy.—C. M. Flynn, 1.

Ladies' Nail-driving Competition—Trophy.—Mrs. H. K. Parker.

Married Men's Race—10/ and 5/—Theo. Allender, 1; A. J. Felmingham, 2. A close finish. Five starters.

**Ballarat District R.C.U.** At the Ballarat District Rifle Clubs' Union's half-yearly prize meeting on Saturday, prizes were won by local riflemen as follows:—A grade—Match No. 1, 300 yds: B. Johnson and R. Dunn, 33, 7/6 each (top score, 34). Match No. 2, 500 yds: R. Dunn, 34, 6/3; B. Johnson, 33, 5/ (top score, 35). Match No. 3, 600 yds.: B. Johnson, 32, 5/ (top score, 34). Match No. 4—A grade aggregate of 1, 2, and 3. B. Johnson, 98, 5/ (top score, 101). B grade—Match No. 5, 300 yds.: R. Lightfoot, 33, 2nd, £1; E. Lightfoot, 31, 5/ (top score, 34). Match No. 6, 500 yds.: R. Lightfoot, 31, 5/ (top score, 33). Match No. 7, 600 yds.: R. Lightfoot, 32, 2nd, £1; E. Lightfoot, 29, 5/ (top score, 33). B grade aggregate (matches 5, 6, and 7); R. Lightfoot, 96, 2nd, £1; E. Lightfoot, 89, 5/ (top score, 99). Match No. 9—Teams' match: Beaufort (E. Johnson 98, R. Lightfoot 96, R. Dunn 93, E. Lightfoot 89), handicap 6; total 382, 1st, 13/6.

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Oddfellows.—Every alternate Thursday to Rechabites. Rechabites.—Every alternate Thursday to Oddfellows. Literary and Debating Society.—Alternate Tuesdays to A.N.A. (winter months only). Mechanics' Bridge Evening.—Last Monday in each month. Brass Band—Third Wednesday in the month. Committee Ripon Sub-branch of R.S.L.—Second Saturday evening of each month. School Committee.—Third Monday in each month. Fire Brigade Ladies' Social Club—First and Third Tuesdays of month.

Shire Hall Renovated. The Shire Hall, Beaufort, has been newly painted by Mr Fred Webster, and staff, and has been much improved in appearance.

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A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 1935.

YOUNG SNAKES.

On Saturday, Archie Dickman and Allan Cuthbertson, of Main Lead, killed a tiger snake, inside which were 31 young ones. These were caught and put in a bottle.

Cut on Knee.

Mr Ernest Stevens, of Beaufort, had the misfortune to cut his knee with an axe, and the wound had to be stitched.

Child Scalded.

Norman, the little son of Mr and Mrs Ern George, of Beaufort, received bad scalds about the body, as the result of a misadventure with boiling water.

Rainfall.

Cold weather was experienced at Beaufort over the week-end, and 43 points of rain fell. On Monday night and Tuesday, a further 22 points of rain fell.

Forty-six points fell on Thursday.

Tennis.

Under cold and windy weather conditions, the Beaufort Methodist Tennis Club held a Mixed Doubles tournament on Saturday afternoon. In the final, A. Campbell and Mrs A. W. Pedrick defeated J. B. Hewitt and Mrs L. French, 6-5.

Landsborough Sports.

At the Landsborough sports on Saturday, 6th inst., W. Hains, of Beaufort, won the Underhand Chop in 66 sec. The Standing Block Chop (12-in. logs) was won by A. E. Crick, of Beaufort, in 78 sec. The High Jump was won by G. Grant, of Raglan.

Card Social.

The Beaufort Mothers' Guild held a card social in Mr Holdsworth's vacant shop on Tuesday night, 9th inst. Mrs L. French won the ladies' euchre prize, and Mrs J. E. Day the consolation prize. In the men's section, Messrs. W. H. Williams and J. King divided the men's euchre and consolation prizes.

Police Court.

Before Mr R. A. D. Sinclair, J.P., a resident of Lexton appeared at the Beaufort Police Court on a lunacy charge. The defendant was committed to a receiving home in Ballarat. A debt case in which the summons had not been served, was struck out, as was also another which had been settled out of court.

PERSONAL.

Mr and Mrs B. Hughes, of Nedlands, Perth, spent a few days with their sister-in-law, Mrs J. Hughes, of Beaufort. Mr and Mrs Hughes attended the Centenary celebrations in Melbourne, and spent about seven months in Victoria.

Miss Joan Rogers has been home to Beaufort on holiday.

Miss A. M. Parker, of Beaufort, has been ill.

Sister Sylvia Willis (Hamilton), who has been visiting her mother at Beaufort, recently passed her final examination as a nursing sister.

Considerable interest was shown on Wednesday in the wedding of Miss Doris George and Mr Ross Ethernan at the Beaufort Methodist Church.

Among the Easter visitors to Beaufort are Miss Ellie Loft, Mrs A. Grace, Miss Olga Young, and Mr Allan MacBeaugh.

HOST HOLBROOK says: The correct Olive for the cocktail is the Manzanilla. Holbrooks' Manzanilla has a crisp and tasty.

WATERLOO SPORTS CLUB

EASTER SATURDAY, 20th APRIL, 1935.

UNDERHAND CHOP.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Includes First Heat and Second Heat results.

Second Heat.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Includes S. Laidlaw, E. Glenister, L. Trafford, J. Fisher, Jack Lamb, J. H. Connor, N. Mann.

Third Heat.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Includes D. V. Fraser, R. Laidlaw, J. L. Crick, M. Trafford, Jack Lyttle, D. Van Every, M. George.

ONE-MILE BICYCLE RACE.

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Second Heat.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Yds. Includes H. C. S. Rodwell, K. Morvell, W. Cleary, L. Wangler, G. Anderson, R. S. Rodwell.

TWO-MILE BICYCLE RACE.

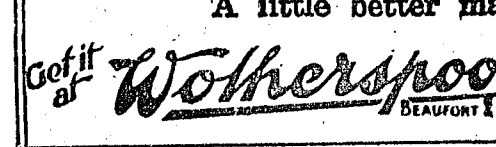
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Waterloo Sports.

For the woodchops at the Waterloo Easter Saturday sports 21 entries have been received, and 12 for each of the bicycle races.

BOWLING CLUB.

The Beaufort Bowling Club's pairs championship concluded on Saturday. Scores:—Semi-finals — H. E. Cuthbertson and C. T. Dowling d. R. McKay and H. Troy, 12-9. H. O. Collier and E. J. Muntz d. N. B. Ac-ton and S. Jacobs, 16-7. Final — Collier and Muntz d. Cuthbertson and Dowling, 14-11.

On Saturday, 20th inst., the B championship will be concluded. J. Irving will meet in the final the winner of R. McKay and S. Jacobs.

DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.

CARRANEALLAC.

St. James' Church of England harvest festival was well attended. There was a good display of fruit and vegetables, and the Church was beautifully decorated by the ladies. Mrs A. Hinton presided at the organ.

At the annual meeting of the Football Club, the balance-sheet showed a credit of £15. Mr W. H. Waldron was elected president, and Mr S. J. Hinton secretary.

Good rains have fallen; over an inch being registered in three days. Good autumn feed is assured. In March 111 points fell. For the past three months the total was 361 points, against 242 points for the first quarter of last year.

COMING EVENTS

Paragraphs are only inserted in this column simultaneously with advertisements.

The Waterloo Sports Club has arranged a good programme for Easter Saturday.

On Easter Monday the Beaufort Town Band will hold a cycling carnival at the Park, and also a fancy dress procession.

Easter greetings by telegraph must be lodged at the post office not later than 11 a.m. on Saturday.

Coles & Gerrard visit Beaufort on Tuesday, 23rd inst., from 1 till 6 p.m.

Capt. S. Ormsby will arrive in Beaufort with his illuminated van on 25th inst. At their Lexton sheep sale on Wednesday, April 24th, Messrs. Denny, Lascelles Ltd. will offer 1250 come-back and merino sheep.

For the Stawell sports on Easter Monday, a special train will leave Beaufort at 9.45 a.m., and will leave Stawell on the return trip at 9.15 p.m.

A cycling carnival and fancy dress procession will be held by the Beaufort Town Band, at the Park on Easter Monday.

Travel talk by Mrs Thompson, of Ballarat, at Beaufort Methodist School Hall, on Tuesday next, 23rd inst.

An Anzac broadcast service, arranged by local R.S.L., will be held at the C.W.A. Hall, Beaufort, on Wednesday, 24th inst., at 2.45 sharp. Messrs. Dalgety & Co., of Geelong, and Theo. W. Schlicht, of Beaufort (auctioneers in conjunction) have commenced to build sale-yards at Beaufort, and intend to hold regular monthly sales on the third Thursday in each month.

BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB.

THE ANNUAL MEETING.

That the Golf Club is one of the most virile organisations in Beaufort was evident by the attendance of 42 members at the annual meeting on Monday night, at the C.W.A. Hall. Mr N. H. Oddie (retiring president) presided during the first part of the meeting, and his successor (Mr E. S. Crouch) for the remainder. Apologies were received for the absence of a number of members.

The balance-sheet for the past 12 months showed receipts totalling £334/16/0, and expenditure amount-

ing to £357/7/4, leaving a debit balance of £22/12/. The year commenced with a debit balance of £19 17/2. The statement of assets and liabilities showed that assets exceeded liabilities by £460/12/10. Mr P. T. Stevenson c referred to the correctness of accounts.

A comprehensive annual report was presented by the president (Mr Oddie) and secretary (Mr Young), and appears in another column.

Miss A. Norman (associates' secretary) also presented an annual report, which is printed in another column.

The associates' balance-sheet showed receipts amounting to £16 8/10, and expenditure to £15/6/5, leaving a credit balance of £1/2/5. The accounts were audited by Mr L. McMahon.

The reports and balance-sheets were adopted, on motion of Mrs S. Young and Mr G. Beggs.

In vacating the chair, the president paid a tribute to the work of the committee and secretary, and thanked the members for the support given to Miss Oddie and himself.

Mr E. S. Crouch was unanimously elected president, and was heartily congratulated by the retiring president.

Mr Crouch expressed his appreciation of the honor, and said the best thanks of the members was due to the retiring president and associate president, Mr and Miss Oddie. He formally moved a vote of thanks to them.

This was carried by acclamation.

The remaining officers were elected as follows:—Vice-president, Mr Geo. Beggs; secretary and treasurer, Mr S. Young (to the efficiency of whose past services a high tribute was paid; the members' compliments being briefly acknowledged by Mr Young); captain, Mr Max Watkin; committee, Messrs. N. H. Oddie, G. P. Ellis, W. Glover, V. C. Jenkin, C. H. McKay, and H. V. Martin; handicapper, Mr F. J. Martin; selection committee, captain, president, and handicapper; official scorer, Mr W. V. C. Jenkin; auditors, Messrs. P. T. Stevenson and J. R. Joyce.

Mr D. F. Troy moved that the fees be the same as last year, viz., Men, £2/2; associates, £1/11/6; juniors, 10/6; social members, 5/; refreshment levy, 5/; entrance fees — Men, £1; ladies, 10/; family, £1; visitors—green fees, 1/ a round; 5/ a week; 10/ a month; Saturday afternoon, 2/6, entitling visitor to round, entry to competition, and afternoon tea. This was seconded by Mr P. George.

Mr Hodggets asked for a ruling on residents of the town, who did not intend to join the club playing for visitors' fees.

After some discussion, it was understood that the matter would be left to the discretion of the committee and secretary.

Mrs Crouch moved that the refreshment levy be rescinded, and increased from 5/ to 10/. Seconded by Miss Oddie.

After an animated discussion, in which the ladies freely participated, Mr Young gave notice of a further amendment that the ladies' fees also be increased by 10/.

Mrs Crouch's amendment was lost, and Mr Young did not proceed with his further amendment.

Mr D. F. Troy moved, as a further amendment that a levy of 10/ be charged for afternoon tea for the season. Seconded by Mrs Hodder. This amendment was also lost, and the original motion carried.

Mr Oddie moved that the opening day be fixed for April 27th. Seconded by Mr J. Kelly, and carried.

Mr M. Watkin moved that the club hold the usual three days' tournament in September. Seconded by Mr R. T. Macdonald, and carried.

Miss Oddie said she would like a

recommendation to be made to the committee that something be done about the ladies' f ourselves on the Friday afternoon of the annual tournament.

This was noted for consideration. Mr D. F. Troy urged that greater attention be given to the scrapes, and moved that instructions be given to the caretaker to brush up the scrapes on each Monday and Thursday morning. He said it was not a big thing he was asking for; about £6 a week having been spent in wages last year. Seconded by Mr P. George.

In answer to Mrs L. Watkin, Mr Young said the caretaker would have time to do it at the sacrifice of other work on the course. The committee was considering a suggestion by Mr Bailey, of Buangor, to obtain special scrapers. Players at present spoiled the scrapes with their clubs.

Mr D. F. Troy — Were not the scrapes as important as any other part of the course?

In answer to Mr Cuthbertson, the president, said the penalty for using two hands on the club on the scrape was disqualification. Such offences should be reported, and would be dealt with by the club.

Mr Troy's motion was lost.

Mr D. F. Troy asked if it was the intention of the committee and the club to remain content with the present property, and to continue to play over loaned property, if they purchased another property, a lot of the present expenditure would be wasted.

The club was well managed. Seconded by Mr P. T. Stevenson, and carried by acclamation.

Mr Young — He appreciated their support.

The associates and committee afterwards met.

The president — The committee was not unmindful of the position.

Mr Young — He had not heard of any property available for sale touching the links.

Mr Jenkin was elected an honorary member of the club, on the motion of Messrs. Glover and Kelly.

Mr Hodggets moved that activities be confined to 12 holes on opening day, so as to finish before dark. Seconded by Mr H. V. Martin.

Considerable discussion ensued, and the motion was lost.

Mr J. Kelly moved that the second tee be raised.

This motion lapsed for want of a seconder.

Mr Young referred to the great work done for the club in the past by Mr Acton, and moved that a minute be placed on the books in appreciation of his services for so many years, and thanking him for same.

This was cordially seconded by Mr Oddie, supported by Mr D. F. Troy, the president, and Mrs L. Watkin, and carried by acclamation.

Mr Acton briefly responded.

Mr D. F. Troy moved a vote of thanks to the secretary, whose keen interest and work they appreciated.

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Clerk of Court's Visits.

The Clerk of Courts from Ararat will visit Beaufort on the following dates:—April 29th, May 13th, May 27th, June 10th, and June 24th.

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MRS. THOMPSON, of Ballarat, will give a Travel Talk, illustrated with moving pictures, in Methodist School Hall, on Tuesday Next (23rd), at 8 p.m. Supper to follow. Tickets, 1/6. Proceeds in aid of Church Building Fund.

THE PUBLIC are INVITED to attend an ANZAC BROADCAST SERVICE for School Children, arranged by the Ripon Branch, R.S.L., to be held at the C.W.A., on Wednesday Next, 24th inst., at 2.45 p.m. sharp.

IT is the intention of the AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY, after One Month from date hereof, to issue under the Companies Act, No. 3659, a Special Policy, in place of Industrial Department Policy, No. 290217 (JOHN CARMICHAEL), declared to have been lost.

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SHIRE OF RIPON. INTEREST ON RATES.

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NORMAN B. ACTON, Shire Secretary. Beaufort, 6/4/35.

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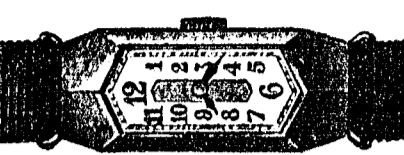
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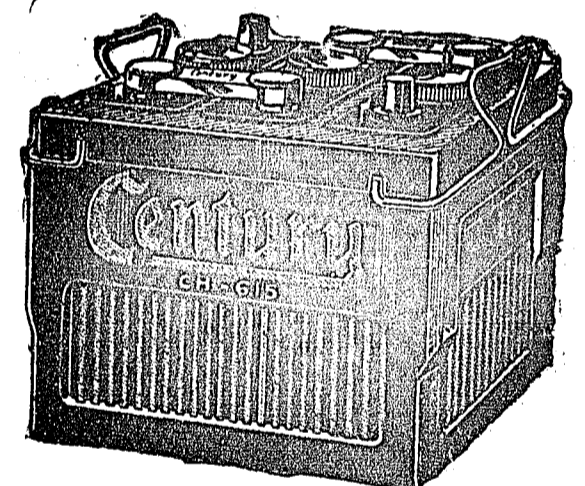
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Harvest Festival. Rev. J. P. MacDougall, M.A., conducted a harvest thanksgiving service at the Beaufort Presbyterian Church on Sunday night.



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Cows Killed. On Friday night, 12th inst., three cows that had strayed on the line were run down by the late mixed train to Ballarat.

Beaufort P.W.M.U. Under the auspices of the Beaufort P.W.M.U., Miss Dunn conducted a meeting at the Presbyterian Church on Friday afternoon, 12th inst., and gave an interesting account of her experiences in Korea.

Beaufort Rifle Club. The Beaufort Rifle Club held a couple of matches on Saturday afternoon, 6th inst., and the leading scores of the rifle were:—600 yds.—W. J. B. Johnson, 40 (who continued to shoot after securing the possible, and registered 12 bullseyes in succession); E. Lightfoot, 34; W. McDonald, 34; M. Johnson, 30; 500 yds.—W. J. B. Johnson, 39; M. Johnson, 36; E. Lightfoot, 38.

EVAPORATING FRUIT.

In evaporating fruit by artificial heat, says an authority, it has been proved a decided advantage to put it in a low temperature first and gradually work up to higher temperatures. Suddenly plunging the fruit over the furnace into high temperatures causes it to swell and burst, thus causing a large percentage of the fruit to run to waste.

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Admiral Robley Evans tells the following story against himself:— He had a Congressman for a guest, and having run out of his favorite brand of whisky, made up with some he could not guarantee. He explained this, and added: "Here, however, is some brandy that I've kept untouched for a good deal more than twenty years."

The following was recently over- heard in a photographer's waiting- room:— Young Woman (to an old country- woman who had just had her photo- graph taken for the first time in her life): You have been quick having your photograph taken. Old Countrywoman (in an explana- tory way): Well, you see, I was only taken head and shoulders, not full length.

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FOOTBALL.

BURRUMBEET DISTRICT COMPETITION.

A meeting of the Burrumbeet and District Football Association was held on Thursday, 4th inst. The president (Cr. J. A. Charles) presided, and delegates were present from the Beaufort, Burrumbeet, Learmonth, Raglan, and Waubra clubs.

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Phonographic correspondence between two youthful lovers—Miss Minnie Evans, of Elizabeth, New Jersey, and James S. Smith, of Philadelphia—caused the father of the young lady to discover an elopement plot on December 17, 1916, and frustrate plans for a paternally-prohibited marriage.

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DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.

BUANGOR.

A fortnight ago, Mr Thos. Forde, of Willaura, who attended the Buangor school over 60 years ago, called at the school, and was shown over the building, and through the first pupils' register by the present teacher. Mr Forde commenced school in 1874, when the school was held in the first Church, which is now the stage and ante-room of the present Public Hall; while his stepmother was sewing mistress at the school. Mr John Schaefer was the first teacher, and was followed by Mr John McSweeney. The present school and residence were built in 1877. Mr Forde was able to recount many interesting events in the early history of Buangor, and was interested in the local history compiled at the school last year. This is the second occasion on which old scholars of 60 years ago have visited the school; Mr Howard Lockett, of Ballarat, paying a similar visit about two years ago.

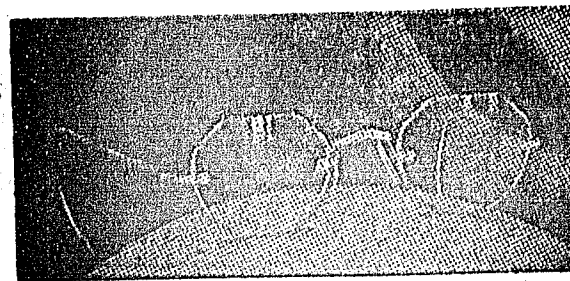
MIDDLE CREEK.

On Friday evening, 5th inst., at the Middle Creek Public Hall, a gift evening was tendered to Miss Mollie O'Loughlan, of "Spring Hill," Ballyrogan, in honor of her approaching marriage with Mr Frank Watt, of Balmoral, which is to take place at Ararat on Easter Wednesday. The large assemblage present, and the gifts which were arranged on a long table on the stage, testified to the young lady's popularity in the district. Mr Con. Liston acted as chairman, and after he and Messrs. Dan Mulcahy, F. Liston, and G. McNeil had spoken of the many excellent qualities of the guest, Mr J. A. Lewis was called upon to hand over the gifts, on behalf of Miss O'Loughlan's many friends, and, in doing so, endorsed the remarks of the previous speakers, and spoke in very high terms of the O'Loughlan family, who had been neighbors and friends of Mrs Lewis and himself for a number of years. Mr Watt responded on behalf of Miss O'Loughlan; thanking them very sincerely for the kind remarks expressed, and for the many valuable and useful gifts. During the evening songs were contributed by Mrs Hunt and the school children, a violin solo by Master Jack Lewis, and a pianoforte solo by Aggie Roberts. Supper was served by the ladies. Dancing continued till 2 a.m.; terminating with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

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PERSONAL.

Great local interest was shown in the wedding of Miss Nellie Martin, of Beaufort, and Mr Percy Hepburn, of Ararat which took place at the Beaufort Methodist Church on Saturday, 6th inst.

Mr Boland, of Violet Town, has succeeded Mr L. H. Tolliday as railway stationmaster at Trawalla, and arrived about 10 days ago.

Miss Ivy Dunn, of Ararat, has been on a visit to her parents. Mr and Mrs J. J. Dunn, of Chute.

Mr and Mrs Reg. Pringle, recently of Dimboola, were in Beaufort a fortnight ago, on their way back to Yarram, to which town they returned to reside.

Mr Tom Whelan, of Melbourne (formerly of Stoneleigh), has been visiting Beaufort as the guest of Mr and Mrs Adam Bennett.

Mr and Mrs L. H. Tolliday, of Brim, and Miss Tolliday, spent a recent week-end with friends at Trawalla.

Miss Athole Ellis has been spending a holiday with her parents at Beaufort.

Mr and Mrs W. Lynch, of Lake Goldsmith, have been spending a holiday at Queenscliff.

Miss Joyce Forte, of Avoca, has been holidaying at Beaufort, as the guest of Mr and Mrs J. French.

Messrs. G. Wood (Beaufort) and W. Wood (Avoca) have come to the Islands on a holiday cruise.

On Tuesday night, 9th inst., the Beaufort Methodists tendered a kitchen tea to Miss D. George, who is shortly to be married. She was the recipient of many useful gifts, accompanied by the hearty good wishes of the congregation.

Mr F. G. Green, for 11 years assistant at the Beaufort P.O., has received notice that he is to be transferred to Collingwood. During his stay in Beaufort, Mr Green has organised a number of dramatic entertainments in aid of local institutions, and taken an interest in the Thistle Club and A.N.A. Mrs Green is a valued member of the Mothers' Guild, and Miss Eunice Green is an active member of the C.W.A. Younger Set.

Congratulations to an ex-student of the Beaufort H.E. and Ballarat High Schools, Miss Alice Jean Glover, who took out her Diploma of Education at the University Commencement. Miss Glover, who formerly secured the B.A. degree, has been obtaining teaching experience at the Moreland Elementary School, and has now been transferred to the teaching staff of the Preston Girls' High School.

**HOT HOLBROOK** says: Cocktail parties are the vogue just now. Holbrooks' Manzanilla Olives are correct for the cocktail.

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**H. Bolte, junr., Makes Debut Over Traps, and Wins Championship of Grampians**

BEAUFORT GUN CLUB.

PERSONAL.

The popularity of the Beaufort Gun Club was never so manifested as on Easter Thursday. Although the heavy rain throughout the night prevented shooters from Kyneton, Donald, Geelong, and Colac from making the trip, no less than 31 competitors took part in the various pigeon events, which is a record number for the Easter Thursday meeting. Had the weather been favorable, probably a club record would have been established. Competitors were present from Melbourne, Hawkesdale, Woodford, Warrambol, Skipton, Meredith, Dimboola, Horsham, Ballarat, Great Western, Ararat, Snake Valley, Stawell, Lexton, and Beaufort. The principal event, the annual Championship of the Grampians, attracted a field of 28, and an optional sweepstake running concurrently with the championship, 25. The championship was won on the 24th round by H. Bolte, junr. (formerly of Skipton), who was making his debut over the traps. Bolte is an understudy of the famous Tommy Grant, winner of many Commonwealth and State championships, and his win was very popular. Although the birds did not have a breath of wind to assist them, the big field was reduced to three at the end of the stipulated 15 rounds: Bolte, Wilkinson, and Hume not having missed a bird. The sweepstake attached to the event, amounting to £12/10/-, was divided by these three shooters; and shooting on for the title, Bolte continued his run to 24, Hume to 23, and Wilkinson to 22. The president, in his usual humorous style, presented the trophies as follows:—Bolte, valuable clock; Hume, tea and coffee service; Wilkinson, clock.

Other events.—Sweepstake, £8. Sixteen entries. Divided on 12th round by "Calrossie," Barber, "Snipe," Grant, Morgan. Sweepstake off 34 yds. rise, £8. Divided by Clive Marsh and Bolte. Best performances.—Bolte, 30/32 (unfinished break of 28); Grant, 26/29; Wilkinson, 30/34; Hume, 23/24; G. Barber, 26/27.

There was a very strong betting ring, and shooters could back themselves for large sums. Refreshments were served by Messdames Saph and Chibnall. Five hundred and seventy birds were trapped. The continuous down-pour throughout the day did not hold up the shooting from the time the first shot was fired. Officials: Referee, "Calrossie"; score book and board, Messrs. W. Halpin and J. Glover; secretary, Mr. A. J. Saph. The next meeting on King's Birthday promises to be a record.

PERSONAL.

Former residents of the district were noticed at the Waterloo sports on Easter Saturday as follows:—Mr and Mrs Geo Skene, Mr H. Broadbent, Mr and Mrs E. Hinton, Mr A. Robinson, Mr and Mrs F. Smith, Mrs A. Vowles, Mr Alex. Saddler, Mr Mack Smith, Mr Gil. Smith, Miss V. Lloyd, Mr Joseph Flynn, Mr Jack Flynn, junr.

The engagement is announced of Athel, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Buchanan, Beaufort, to Lewis, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Morgan, Traynor's Lagoon, St. Arnaud.

Mr. Lewis M. Fitzpatrick, who recently joined the railway service as a lad porter, is now stationed at Colac.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Beggs, of Buln Gherin, Beaufort, spent Easter in Melbourne, and were staying at Scott's Hotel.

Mr. Tim Gardiner, of Waterloo, is at present on the New Guinea goldfields working as an assayer at a good salary. In a letter to his parents (Mr. and Mrs. R. Gardiner), he states that where he is there are all kinds of crawling and creeping things; the spiders being particularly large. Recently on the field a python was killed, and had a young pig inside it.

Miss Marjorie Norman, of the teaching staff at the Beaufort school, has been transferred to Inverloch.

Mr. Roger Stowell, brother of Mr. H. A. Stowell, of Beaufort, has resigned from the Air Force and joined the Quanta Airways. He has gone to Brisbane.

Mr. and Mrs. Golder and family, Messrs. Clem. and Neil Coates, and Miss Anderson spent the Easter vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Coates, of Beaufort.

Easter visitors to Beaufort included Mr Leo Young, Mr E. Day, Miss Gwen Young, Mr and Mrs T. Buchan, Miss L. Buchan, Mrs Morrison, Mr C. Hobson, Mr W. Stevens, junr., Mr J. Dowling, Miss Joyce Liddell, Miss Elna Roderick, Misses Ivy and Reeva Johnston, Misses L. and H. Irving, Miss E. Dawson, Mrs E. Deans, Mr and Mrs I. H. Hay, Messrs Martin, J. J., F. F., and Laurie Fitzpatrick, Cliff Pringle, Mr and Mrs Beggs, Mr and Mrs S. Lynch, Mr W. Pearce, Mr L. Wotherspoon, Misses A. and R. Buchanan, Miss Alice Hobson, Mr and Mrs Godson and family, Mr and Mrs O'Hara, Mr and Mrs Martland, Mr and Mrs O'Halloran, Mr and Mrs S. Webb, Mr and Mrs J. R. Webb, Miss Joan Chibnall, Mrs Gleeson, and Mr J. Buchanan.

Mr J. E. Wallish, of Lillirie, who has been ill for the past week or two, is now convalescent.

Mr. E. J. Muntz, junr., who is on the staff of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Ltd., will be leaving Avoca shortly, and will be greatly missed, as he has proved a valued citizen. As the secretary of carnivals, his work has resulted in great success being achieved, good profits being derived for local objects. Mr. Muntz is the secretary of the Progress Association, and in this connection he has carried out his duties in a very capable and praiseworthy manner.

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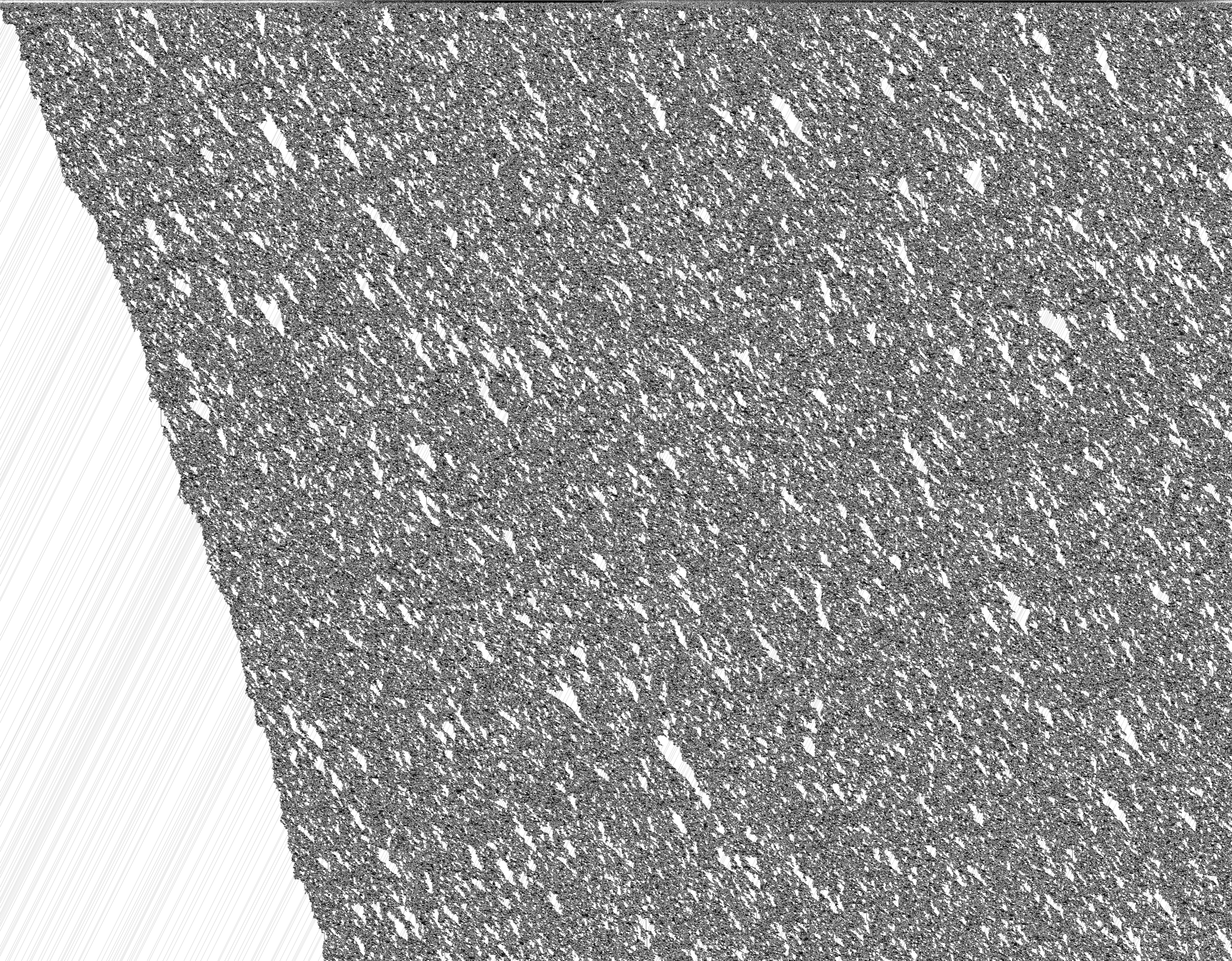
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DEATH OF REV. W. H. TAYLOR.

The death occurred at Dromana on 21st April of the Rev. W. H. Taylor, a former Methodist minister at Beaufort.

CASE OF VANDALISM.

When the representatives of the Ripon Returned Soldiers' League went to the War Memorial Park, Beaufort, on Anzac Day, to hoist the Union Jack, they found that the wire rope from the flag-pole had been stolen by some miscreant with no respect for public property.

LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY.

The first fortnightly meeting of the Beaufort Literary and Debating Society for the winter session was attended by 14 members, Mr. G. Allott acting as chairman. Apologies were received for the absence of a number of members.

TRAVEL TALK.

In the Beaufort Methodist Church on Tuesday evening, Mrs W. D. Thompson, of Ballarat, gave an intensely interesting travel talk; illustrating the same with moving pictures, which she herself had taken during her travels.

ANZAC SERVICE FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN.

As time passes, the memory of Anzac is becoming dearer and more glorious to the fast-dwindling band of soldiers' and in order that the birthday of Australia's fighting reputation may not be forgotten, the fathers are endeavoring to instill the sacredness and solemnity of Anzac Day into their children, and the coming generations.

BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB.

OPENING DAY.

The Beaufort Golf Club will open the season to-day (Saturday) with a competition for mixed foursomes, for which trophies have been presented by the new president, Mr E. S. Crouch.

PERSONAL.

Miss Nell Fitzpatrick, of Sambury, is the guest of Mr and Mrs J. E. Pearce, of Beaufort. Published in Thursday night's green "Star" was a striking article by Jack Egan, grandson of Mr H. M. Stuart, of Beaufort, giving the impressions of one born after the war of the dawn service at the Shrine on Anzac Day.

RAINFALL.

On Tuesday 14 points of rain fell at Beaufort. Thursday and Friday were fine days.

CARD SOCIAL.

On Tuesday night the Beaufort Mothers' Guild held a social in Mr Holdsworth's vacant shop. Mr A. Day and Mrs Willis won the euchre prizes; Mrs F. G. Green and Mr W. Scriven securing the consolation prizes. Mrs J. R. Hughes acted as secretary.

MOTERING MISHAP.

On Good Friday, a motoring mishap, which was fortunately not attended by serious consequences, occurred at the intersection of Lawrence and Neill streets, Beaufort. It appears that one motorist was driving in a northerly direction along Lawrence street, and another car was coming along Neill street in a westerly direction.

DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.

RAGLAN.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.

The Raglan Sunday School anniversary celebrations were held in the Church on Sunday, April 14th. The Church on Sunday, April 14th. The Church on Sunday, April 14th. The Church on Sunday, April 14th. The Church on Sunday, April 14th.

THE PICNIC.

The annual picnic always follows the anniversary, but the weather was decidedly against it. It was postponed once, but then was so close to the Easter holidays that it was decided to carry on.

CONCERT.

For the first time for many years, a concert was held after the anniversary. The rain cleared just sufficiently for the concert to be held on the Monday night, and though the attendance was possibly affected by the cold conditions, the Church was nearly filled with an appreciative audience.

TRAWALLA.

The following were visitors to Trawalla for the Easter holidays:—Mrs T. Haines and family, Mr Geo. Gouley, Mr and Mrs Dudley, Mrs R. Smith and her small son, Mr Alf. Foreman, Miss Edna Dawson.

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KICKED BY HORSE.

On Thursday, the little son of Mr and Mrs E. Vowles, of Trawalla, was kicked by a horse, and received severe facial injuries.

girls; "Home on the Range," by the boys as hill-billies and cowboys (encored); recitation, "The Yellow Cat," Joy Thomson; solo, Mr K. W. Lewis; action song, "The Hoop Song," junior girls; recitation, Miss Warner; solo, Miss R. Wood (encored); recitation, Miss M. Lancy (encored); instrument item, Messrs. G. Gillingham and L. E. Pantner (encored); duet, "I Don't Want to Play in Your Yard," Norma Panther and Nancy Crocker; solo, Miss L. Waldron; "The Village Minstrels," the boys (encored).

Mr Pederick has the ability to say "thank you" in a nice style, and this was fully exemplified in his chairman's remarks. After taking the opportunity to make an announcement of forthcoming Church events, he thanked everybody who had taken any part in the success of the anniversary. He appealed to parents to do their part to make the next year in the Sunday school even more successful than the previous one.

Mr A. Stevens, in support, referred particularly to the work of the secretary (Mr G. Gillingham) in erecting the stage, etc. (thereby inadvertently overcoming Mr Gillingham's desire not to have his name mentioned). The concert was brought to a conclusion by singing the National Anthem. Mrs A. Panther was an efficient accompanist, in addition to having trained the girls in their items. Several of the ladies served supper to the visitors.

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Manager (to new actor): "Your performance of Hamlet is the very worst I've ever seen. If there had been any money in the house I should have had to return it at the doors; as it is, several friends have sent in and peremptorily demanded that their names should be removed from the free list."

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WEDDING BELLS.


HEPBURN—MARTIN.

The Beaufort Methodist Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding on April 6th, when Ellen Grace, younger daughter of Mrs A. J. Martin, of Beaufort, was married to Percy E. Hepburn, youngest son of Mr and Mrs Hepburn, of Ararat. The Rev. A. W. Pederick officiated, with Miss Jackson presiding at the organ. The Church had been beautifully decorated by friends of the bride. The bride, who was given away by her eldest brother (Mr. F. J. Martin), made a charming picture in her gown of crinkle crepe, cut on long, slender lines, with puffed sleeve to the elbow, then tight-fitting to the wrist. A veil of embroidered silk net (lent by her cousin, Mrs. Cross) was finished with a halo of orange blossom. She carried a semi-sheaf of gladioli. The bridesmaid (Miss Molly Hayward) wore a pretty gown of blue georgette, with large picture hat of blue straw. She carried a semi sheaf of gladioli and the flower girl (Lillian cactus dahlia, a niece of the bride, was a replica of the bride. She carried a basket of flowers. During the signing of the register Mr. Cross sweetly sang "My Prayer." A reception was afterwards held at the C.W.A. Hall, where about 90 guests sat down to a sumptuous repast. The guests were received by Mrs. Martin, assisted by the bridegroom's parents. Mrs. Martin wore black morocain, relieved with black and white, and navy felt hat. She carried a posy of red dahlias. Mrs. Hepburn wore a beach and white ensemble, with black hat. She carried a bouquet of red dahlias. During the reception Mr. Syd. Carnow delighted the guests with harmony. When the bride and bridegroom left for their honeymoon, which was spent in Geelong and Adelaide, the bride chose a brown striped frock, with brown coat to match, trimmed with brown fur. Her matching hat was of brown velour. The future home of Mr. and Mrs. Hepburn is at Hamilton.

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ALTERATION IN TRAIN SERVICE.

New Times of Departure.

RESIDENTS of Beaufort would do well to note the following alterations in the times of departure of trains from the local railway station under the new time table:—

Express to Melbourne—Departs from Beaufort on Sundays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, at 5.35 a.m.; Wednesdays and Saturdays, 7.4 a.m. (stopping at Beaufort daily, if required, to pick up passengers).

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Ballarat to Dimboola mixed train—Leaves Beaufort 8.5 a.m. daily.

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There is no 6 p.m. train from Ballarat on Thursdays and Saturdays.

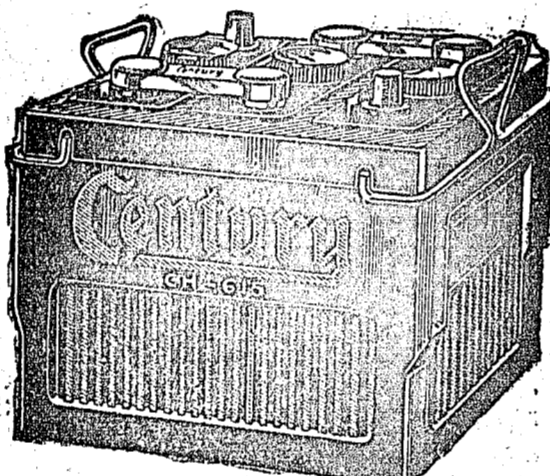
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C.W.A. NOTES.

STREATHAM.

Mrs. Carstairs, of Blythevale Station, who, with her daughter, Miss Janet Carstairs, returned lately from a six months' visit to England, was welcomed home on Thursday afternoon, 18th inst., at the monthly meeting of the Streatham branch of the C.W.A., of which she is ex-president. Mrs. Dery the president of the branch, presented Mrs. Carstairs with a bouquet of gladioli and dahlias, and said how pleased all the members were to see her back again and looking so well after her trip. Visitors were present from Beaufort, including the group president (Miss L. Cross), who is retiring from office in June. She introduced to the branch the group president-elect (Mrs. Theo. Beggs), and Mrs. Doery extended to her a warm welcome from the Streatham members. A much appreciated musical programme was given by two Beaufort ladies; Mrs. Humphreys playing a number of selections from Chopin and Liszt, and Mrs. Kelly singing "I Love the Moon" and "Fairy Capers." After tea, Miss Miller, also of Beaufort, gave a demonstration on French polishing, which was specially interesting in view of the glory box the branch is making and filling for the Home and Handicrafts Exhibition. Mrs. Carstairs promised to give a talk on her trip abroad at the next meeting.

Tenders are invited for repairs, painting, State school, Beaufort, by 9th May.

New Beaufort Talkies.

Saturday, April 27th.

Some Questions Asked by the Young Person and Answered by the Editor.

Do you see the couple?  
 I do see the couple.  
 Is it a man and a woman?  
 They will be when they grow older.  
 Are they married?  
 Oh, no.  
 How do you know?  
 They are too devoted to each other.  
 Aren't married people so?  
 Not always. Only so-so.  
 Is love tiresome?  
 Not before marriage.  
 Why after marriage?  
 There's something else to think about.  
 What are they talking about?  
 Music, moon, love and flowers, with a touch upon the unutterable, and the ineffable, and the inexpressible.  
 Do they talk of house rent, and bread and butter, and clothes, and children?  
 Bless you, no; that's vulgar and practical.  
 How long does a courtship last?  
 Three to twelve months—more or less.  
 And a marriage?  
 From one to fifty years—more or less.  
 Then why shouldn't they talk of the years of real, rather than the months of ideal?  
 It would frighten them away from each other.  
 Do lovers love each other more than married people do?  
 More in quantity, but not more in quality.  
 How is that?  
 Lovers' love comes out of joy and the sunshine, while married people's love comes out of sorrow and trial and tribulation, and it is quality, not quantity, that can do that.  
 Don't lovers have troubles, too?  
 Yes, as children do.  
 But there are broken hearts, aren't there?  
 In novels sometimes, in poetry occasionally, and in songs often.  
 Never in reality?  
 Scarcely ever an incurable case, until after marriage.  
 Then there is such a thing as a broken heart?  
 There is something that bears the name.  
 Don't young people sometimes kill themselves for love?  
 Love is the supreme selfishness; when that is seriously shocked, and sometimes happens, the sufferer is crazed temporarily.  
 Isn't the sweetheart-time the happiest time in our lives?  
 Nothing like it.  
 Ignorance is bliss.  
 Then it is folly to be wise?  
 Yes.  
 Who are the wise?  
 Ask the married people.

THE WOULD BE MEN.

Many women have wished to be men, but it is rare, indeed, for a man to wish that his sex were different. Not long since a scientific experimenter invited a number of ladies to record their impressions on the subject. With but few exceptions each of the women owned to the longing to change her sex, but the reasons given were curious and instructive.

One wished to be a man so that she might earn double the salary for the same amount of work; another, because, being fond of horses, she would like to be a jockey; a third, because she could come and go as she pleased; a fourth lady because she is passionately fond of machinery, and is ambitious to be a machinist or engineer.

In short, as the experimenter remarked, what women mainly envy in men's lives is the fuller liberty and the greater opportunities in general which the male sex enjoys.

A Repeat Order.

One evening a very shy young fellow took his sweetheart for a walk along a shady country road. They walked for about half a mile in silence, looking sideways at each other, when, suddenly, the big fellow put his arm around her waist, and kissed her. Neither spoke, but both walked on as before.

Then the girl said:  
 "Jimmy, you scared me."  
 "Did I?" he answered.  
 They walked on for fifteen minutes more, when the girl, giving a gentle tug to his arm, said:  
 "Jimmy, I wish you would scare me again."  
 And he did!

"I make it a rule," said a wiseacre to his friend, "to tell my wife everything that happens. In this way we avoid any misunderstandings."  
 Not to be outdone in generosity, the good friend replied:  
 "Well, sir, you are not so open and frank as I am, for I tell my wife a good many things that never happen."

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EASTER HOLIDAYS.

The Easter holidays at Beaufort were marked by showery weather, and sports meetings were held on Easter Saturday at Waterloo, and Easter Monday at Beaufort. On Good Friday night, the local Methodists and Presbyterians held a combined service at St. Andrew's Church, which was conducted by the Revs. J. P. MacDougall and A. W. Pederick. Rev. A. Talbot held an Easter service at St. John's Church of England in the morning.

ANZAC DAY.

Over 70 Beaufort and district soldiers went to Melbourne on Thursday for the march on the 20th anniversary of Anzac Day. On the previous afternoon a special broadcast Anzac service for school children, arranged by the local R.S.L., was held at the C.W.A. Hall, and was well attended. On Sunday the local Anzac memorial service will be held at the War Memorial, Beaufort, when a large number of returned soldiers will take part. Captain Walker (president of the Ballarat branch) will deliver the Anzac address. There will also be a pilgrimage of local soldiers to the graves of comrades in the Beaufort Cemetery.

At the Lexton Shire Council meeting this month, the engineer (Mr. L. H. Vernon, C.E.) reported:—Re culvert at McErvale's, Chute, I accompanied Mr. Bishop on an inspection of this culvert. The present culvert consists of one 3 ft. diameter pipe, the waterway being inadequate. It may be increased by duplication of the existing pipe, but a more economical method would be to construct a reinforced concrete box culvert of double the waterway. Existing pipes could be put in store.—The engineer stressed the necessity of draining all roads, as scouring was their worst enemy in wet weather. The president (Cr. Kaye) remarked that the engineer's idea was an excellent one.

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**WATERLOO SPORTS.**

**MARRIED BY UNFAVORABLE WEATHER.**

Wet weather for the preceding few days marred the Waterloo Sports Club's annual gathering, held at the local Recreation Reserve on Easter Saturday, and both entries and attendance were much smaller than usual. About 45 motor cars and a number of buggies and gigs lined the arena, and the gate receipts were a little over £16, compared with £34/17/6 last year. Only 11 events were got off, and the weather was very cold and threatening, although the rain kept off. As the track was very sloppy after the recent rains, and considered too dangerous, it was decided to abandon two bicycle races, for which 12 entries had been received. The Beaufort Town Band (under Mr. J. D'Albora) played a programme of music. The publican's booth was in charge of Mr. R. Taylor, and the fruit and sweets and luncheon booths were conducted by Mr. Irwin. First-constable J. Duke, of Beaufort, was on duty on the ground. The failure of the sports to come up to expectations was due to no fault of the officials, who worked well under the leadership of Messrs. J. J. Dunn (president) and W. A. Skene (secretary). The following acted as stewards, judges, &c.:—Messrs. J. J. Dunn, G. Boyd, H. Stewart, C. M. Flynn, G. Russell, J. McErvale, R. Wangler, T. Ryan, G. Vowles, W. Kay, Hilton Dunn, J. and A. Laney, A. C. Smith, and N. Dromey.

The principal event was the Underhand Woodchop, which was won by E. Glenister in great style by about 10 blows; Jack Lamb being second. The Teams' Chop was won by a margin of five blows by M. Flavell and D. Van Every; Jack and Joe Lamb being second. The Tug-of-War between the Main Lead and Waterloo teams proved very interesting, and was won in two minutes by Main Lead.

Following are results of the events:—

Boys' Race, under 14—2/ and 1/—J. Glenister, 1; W. Williams, 2; G. Davis, 3. A close finish. Five starters.

Boys' Race, under 10—2/ and 1/—Max Lewis, 1; Len Pratt, 2; J. Glenister, 3. Won by inches. Six starters.

Girls' Race, under 14—2/ and 1/—Nancy Flynn, 1; Kath. Lamb, 2; D. Tiley, 3. Won by half-a-yard. Three starters.

Underhand Woodchop, 40-inch girth logs—£4, £2, and 15/—First heat—M. Flavell, 10 sec. bhd. scr., 1; H. Broadbent, 5 sec. bhd., 2; W. Connor, scr., 3. Won by five blows. Four competitors. Time, 59 sec.

Second heat—Jack Lamb, scr., 1; E. Glenister, 10 sec. bhd., 2; J. H. Connor, scr., 3. Won by eight blows, with a blow between second and third. Three competitors. Time, 60 sec.

Third heat—Jack Lyttle, scr., 1; J. L. Crick, 3 sec. bhd., 2; D. Van Every, scr., 3. Won by three blows. Time, 52 4-5 sec. Five competitors.

Final—E. Glenister, 1; Jack Lamb, 2; Jack Lyttle, 3. Time, 54 4-5 sec. Won in great style by about 10 blows, with two blows between second and third. Six competitors.

Teams' Chop, two men a side, 2 ft. logs—£2/10/ and £1.—M. Flavell and D. Van Every, scr., 1; Jack and Joe Lamb, 5 sec. bhd., 2; D. V. Fraser and J. L. Crick, scr., 3. Won by five blows, with two blows separating second and third. Four teams competed. Time, 1 min. 45 1-5 sec.

Tug-of-War, 5 men teams; limit, 60 stone—First team, £2 10/—Main Lead (C. Vowles, S. George, F. McNish, H. Broadbent, and J. Connor) v. Waterloo (Jack Lamb, J. Lyttle, D. Fraser, G. Russell, and Joe Lamb). Won by Main Lead, after an exciting two minutes' pull. Stepping the Distance—10/—Divided by Miss V. Lloyd and C. M. Flynn, who stepped half-an-inch short of the actual distance (13 yds., 2 ft., 10 1/2 in.) Seventy-two competitors.

Basket Ball Championship (throwing for goal)—Trophy.—George Cuthbertson. Thirty competitors.

**LOCAL FIXTURES.**

**Regular Local Meetings.**

Ripon Shire Council.—Second Monday in the month.  
Police Court.—Every Monday (except holidays).  
Mechanics' Institute.—First Monday in the month.  
Fire Brigade.—First Monday in the month.  
Bush Nursing Hospital Committee.—Second Monday in the month.  
C.W.A.—First Thursday in the month.  
C.Y.M.S.—Second Monday in the month.  
Fiery Creek Lodge.—Second Wednesday in the month.  
Mark Lodge.—Fourth Thursday in every second month.

A.N.A.—Every alternate Tuesday. Mothers' Guild meets alternate Tuesday to A.N.A.

Oddfellows.—Every alternate Thursday to Rechabites.

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Literary and Debating Society.—Alternate Tuesdays to A.N.A. (winter months only).

Mechanics' Bridge Evening.—Last Monday in each month.

Brass Band.—Third Wednesday in the month.

Committee Ripon Sub-branch, R.S.L.—Second Saturday evening of each month.

School Committee.—Third Monday in each month.

Fire Brigade Ladies' Social Club.—First and Third Tuesdays of month.

**TALBOT GYMKHANA.**

At the Talbot gymkhana on Saturday, S. George's Flapper (scr.) won the mile and a half trot by three lengths.

**FOOTBALL.**

The football season will open at Beaufort to-day (Saturday) at the Park with a match between the two local teams, Beaufort and C.Y.M.S.

**RAINFALL.**

On Good Friday and Saturday 36 points of rain fell at Beaufort, making a total of 161 points since the 14th inst., and 203 since the beginning of April.

BEAUFORT FIRE BRIGADE.

On Good Friday the members of the Beaufort Fire Brigade held a fours' competition, in which E. Hopkin's team defeated W. Day's team; winning by 10 sec. on four runs.

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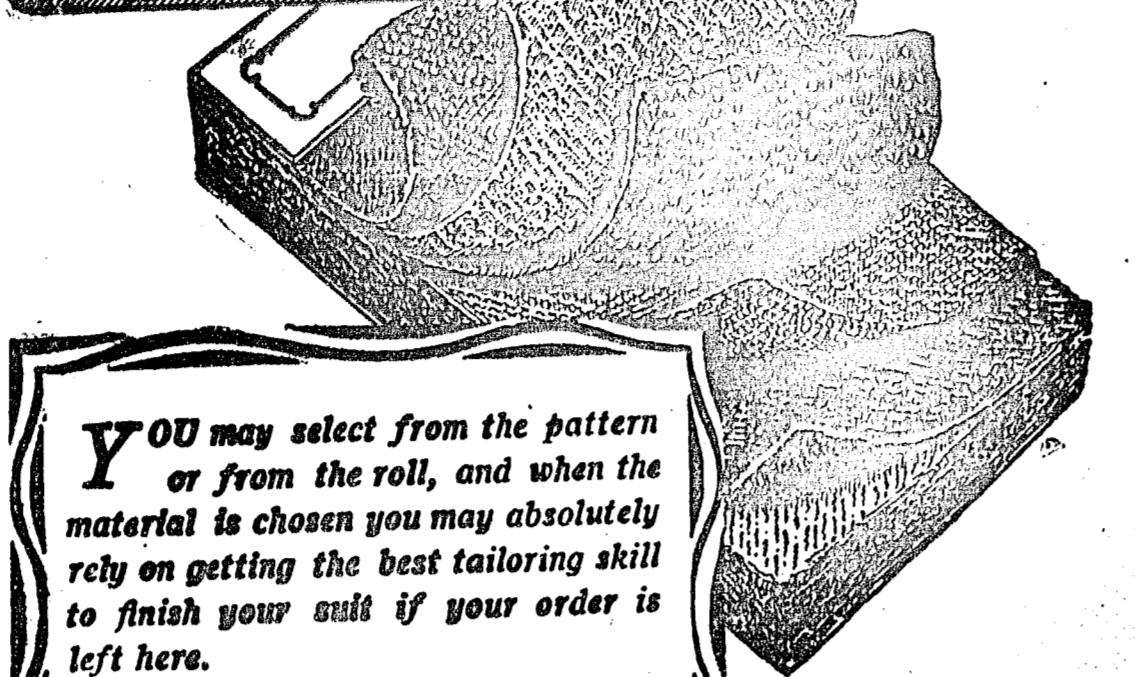
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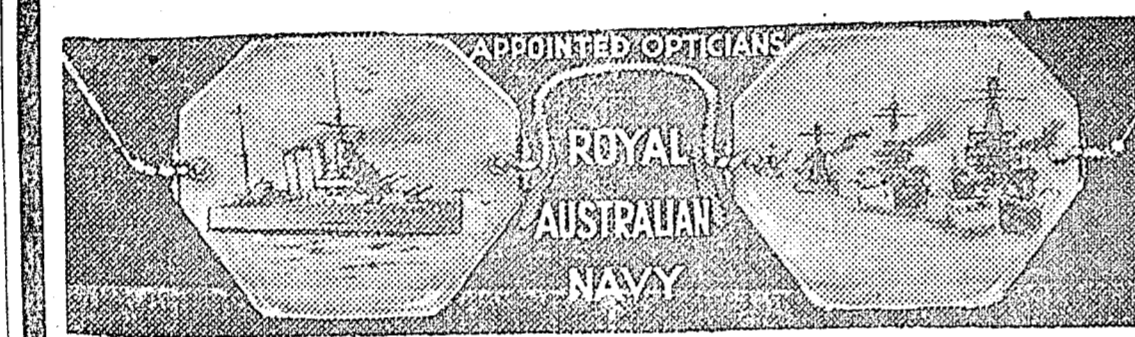


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